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## No. 1.—Population of the State of New South Wales, 30th September, 1929.

	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Population at 30th June, 1929	...	...	...	1,255,592	1,208,414	2,464,006
Births ... ..	7,052	6,578	13,630			
Deaths... ..	4,460	3,466	7,926			
Excess of Births ... ..	...	...	...	2,592	3,112	5,704
Interstate, Land—Arrivals ... ..	27,471	13,735	41,206			
„ Departures ... ..	27,513	13,756	41,269			
Excess of Arrivals ... ..	(—) 42	(—) 21	(—) 63			
Interstate, Sea—Arrivals ... ..	2,779	2,560	5,339			
„ Departures... ..	3,017	2,717	5,734			
Excess of Arrivals ... ..	(—) 238	(—) 157	(—) 395			
Oversea—Arrivals ... ..	6,231	5,084	11,315			
„ Departures... ..	5,374	3,907	9,281			
Excess of Arrivals ... ..	857	1,177	2,034			
Increase by Migration ... ..	...	...	...	577	999	1,576
Population at 30th September, 1929	...	...	...	1,258,761	1,212,525	2,471,286

## Migration during Quarter ended 30th September, 1929.

Country.	Arrivals.	Departures.	Excess of Arrivals.
Victoria (Land) ... ..	25,471	26,744	(—) 1,003
„ (Sea) ... ..	1,897	2,169	(—) 272
Queensland (Land) ... ..	9,475	9,080	395
„ (Sea) ... ..	2,408	2,625	(—) 217
South Australia (Land) ... ..	3,183	2,671	512
„ (Sea) ... ..	440	338	102
Western Australia (Land) ... ..	601	516	85
„ (Sea) ... ..	439	560	(—) 121
Tasmania (Sea) ... ..	111	92	19
Northern Territory (Sea) ... ..	44	15	29
Federal Territory (Land) ... ..	2,206	2,258	(—) 52
Adjustment—Interstate Departures... ..	...	(—) 65	65
Interstate Migration ... ..	46,545	47,003	(—) 458
United Kingdom ... ..	2,595	1,337	1,258
Canada ... ..	496	429	67
South Africa ... ..	88	163	(—) 75
Fiji ... ..	694	712	(—) 18
Hong Kong ... ..	528	426	102
India and Ceylon ... ..	248	136	112
New Zealand ... ..	4,167	3,868	299
Other British Possessions ... ..	712	884	(—) 172
Egypt ... ..	89	58	31
Italy ... ..	247	96	151
Japan ... ..	90	53	37
South Sea Islands ... ..	151	62	89
United States of America ... ..	515	482	33
Other Foreign Countries ... ..	695	575	120
Oversea Migration ... ..	11,315	9,281	2,034
Total Migration ... ..	57,860	56,284	1,576

The minus sign (—) denotes an excess of departures.

During the quarter 599 males and 678 females arrived under the Joint Commonwealth and State Assisted Passage Scheme, including 101 Dreadnought lads, 52 Farm lads, 36 Little Brothers, 6 Salvation Army lads, 22 Wembley lads, and 146 Female Domestics.

### No. 2.—Nationality of Persons arriving in New South Wales and departing therefrom— Countries outside Australia—Year 1928, and January-September, 1929.

Nationality or Race.	During Year 1928.		During January-September, 1929.					
	Total Arrivals.	Total recorded Departures.	Arrivals.			Recorded Departures.		
			Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
British ... ..	50,897	40,001	16,554	16,017	32,571	15,480	14,881	30,361
Danish ... ..	96	78	49	23	72	40	19	59
Dutch ... ..	131	121	47	23	70	43	24	67
French ... ..	568	549	217	172	389	252	188	440
German ... ..	397	287	149	57	206	165	57	222
Greek ... ..	371	161	75	34	109	111	23	134
Italian ... ..	1,950	493	382	226	608	378	96	474
Jugo Slavs ... ..	309	225	123	43	166	163	33	196
Maltese (British) ... ..	51	66	46	16	62	59	3	62
Norwegian... ..	38	36	26	13	39	23	6	29
Russian ... ..	105	90	29	23	52	41	23	64
Swedish ... ..	52	41	24	5	29	29	11	40
Swiss ... ..	147	80	47	26	73	63	17	80
United States of America... ..	1,886	1,671	792	583	1,375	670	488	1,158
Other European ... ..	1,065	345	220	189	409	215	64	279
Chinese ... ..	2,514	2,452	1,494	132	1,626	1,561	106	1,667
Indians ... ..	483	267	329	15	344	257	4	261
Japanese ... ..	156	134	70	19	89	86	20	106
Syrians ... ..	97	28	11	8	19	15	11	26
Other Non-European ... ..	313	234	101	85	186	93	73	166
	60,786	47,329	20,785	17,709	38,494	19,744	16,147	35,891

### No. 3.—Population, Births, Deaths, and Marriages—New South Wales—1917-29.

Year.	Estimated Population at end of Year.	Births.	Deaths.		Marriages.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Population.			Infantile Mortality.
			Total.	Under one year.		Births.	Deaths.	Marriages.	
1917	1,921,488	52,467	17,969	3,016	13,261	27'54	9'43	6'96	57'5
1918	1,963,345	50,700	18,840	3,000	13,199	26'09	9'69	6'79	59'2
1919	2,039,723	48,528	26,385	3,507	15,818	24'26	13'19	7'91	72'3
1920	2,092,989	53,974	20,961	3,770	20,183	26'09	10'13	9'76	69'9
1921	2,129,505	54,634	20,034	3,436	18,518	25'91	9'50	8'78	63'0
1922	2,174,553	55,214	19,178	2,980	17,583	25'67	8'92	8'17	54'0
1923	2,211,106	54,112	21,051	3,302	17,507	24'68	9'60	7'99	61'0
1924	2,256,090	53,670	20,821	3,191	18,077	24'07	9'34	8'11	59'5
1925	2,300,081	54,615	20,823	2,999	18,522	24'00	9'15	8'14	54'9
1926	2,349,401	53,126	22,188	3,060	19,219	22'88	9'56	8'28	57'6
1927	2,401,884	53,858	22,770	2,960	20,052	22'68	9'59	8'45	55'0
1928	2,446,874	54,800	22,694	3,008	20,076	22'59	9'35	8'27	54'9
Jan.-Sept., 1929	.....	40,201	19,089	2,264	14,371	21'75	10'33	7'78	56'3
Jan.-Sept., 1928	.....	41,172	16,668	2,286	14,761	22'64	9'17	8'12	55'5

The population of the State at the Census of 3rd April, 1921, was, Males, 1,072,424; Females, 1,029,544; Total, 2,101,968. **NOTE.**—The population includes Aborigines of full-blood, of whom there were 1,597 (males 923, and females 674) at the Census 1921.

The population is exclusive of Federal Capital Area, the population of which at the Census on 3rd April, 1921, was 2,572 (no aborigines), of whom 1,567 were males and 1,005 females.

*Ex-nuptial births in New South Wales numbered 2,748 in 1926, 2,698 in 1927, 2,707 in 1928, and 2,038 in Jan.-Sept., 1929.*

### No. 4.—Arrivals in and Departures from New South Wales, 1917-29.

Year.	Arrivals in New South Wales.			Adjusted Departures from New South Wales.		
	Interstate.	From other Countries.	Total.	Interstate.	To other Countries.	Total.
1917	274,768	35,063	309,831	260,616	49,117	309,733
1918	299,735	38,744	338,479	288,732	39,750	328,482
1919	240,263	93,276	333,539	235,887	43,417	279,304
1920	311,068	72,515	383,583	303,222	60,108	363,330
1921	284,927	57,190	342,117	288,084	52,117	340,201
1922	277,938	53,326	331,264	283,432	38,820	322,252
1923	283,014	48,084	331,098	290,691	36,915	327,606
1924	300,816	55,066	355,882	304,095	39,652	343,747
1925	308,241	55,201	363,442	311,035	42,208	353,243
1926	288,354	62,395	350,749	288,793	43,574	332,367
1927	244,456	65,483	309,941	242,541	46,005	288,546
1928	231,523	60,786	292,309	230,885	48,540	279,425
Jan.-Sept., 1929	159,897	38,494	198,391	158,276	36,815	195,091

## No. 5.—Population—Metropolis—1917-28.

Year.	Estimated Population at end of Year.			Annual Increase.		Mean Population.
	Sydney (including Shipping).	Suburbs.	Total.	Numerical.	Per cent.	
1917	114,510	684,180	798,690	20,580	2·64	788,400
1918	113,700	709,910	823,610	24,920	3·12	811,150
1919	112,220	756,850	869,070	45,460	5·52	846,340
1920	111,210	789,550	900,760	31,690	3·65	884,915
1921	110,430	816,170	926,600	25,840	2·87	913,680
1922	109,970	845,930	955,900	29,300	3·16	941,250
1923	109,970	871,430	981,400	25,500	2·67	968,650
1924	109,180	902,890	1,012,070	30,670	3·13	994,470
1925	106,350	933,040	1,039,390	27,320	2·70	1,024,240
1926	107,880	962,630	1,070,510	31,120	2·99	1,053,180
1927	109,640	991,550	1,101,190	30,680	2·87	1,085,080
1928	110,000	1,017,470*	1,127,470*	26,280	2·39	1,115,400

\* Excluding Auburn, Bankstown, Granville, Lidcombe, and Parramatta, included in population shown in Table 50.

NOTE.—The population of Sydney and suburbs at the Census, 3rd April, 1921, was 906,103. The Shipping population of the City of Sydney at the Census of 1911 was 6,850, and at the Census of 1921, 6,898.

Up to 31st December, 1928, the Metropolis included the City of Sydney, forty-one municipalities surrounding it, and the islands of Port Jackson. It embraced an area of 181 square miles. From 1st January, 1929, the municipalities mentioned above will be included.

## No. 6.—Vital Statistics—Metropolis—1917-29.

Year.	Births.	Deaths.		Marriages.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Population.			Infantile Mortality.
		Total.	Under one year.		Births.	Deaths.	Marriages.	Deaths under one year per 1,000 Births.
1918	19,526	7,862	1,225	6,906	24·07	9·69	8·51	62·7
1919	18,685	11,907	1,483	8,575	22·08	14·07	10·13	79·4
1920	22,352	9,429	1,658	11,606	25·26	10·66	13·12	74·2
1921	22,418	8,693	1,414	10,137	24·54	9·51	11·09	63·1
1922	22,090	8,425	1,279	9,621	23·47	8·95	10·22	57·9
1923	21,990	9,390	1,404	9,734	22·70	9·69	10·05	63·9
1924	22,058	9,234	1,262	9,908	22·18	9·29	9·96	57·2
1925	22,036	9,548	1,256	9,889	21·51	9·32	9·65	57·0
1926	21,487	10,220	1,315	10,381	20·40	9·70	9·86	61·2
1927	20,588*	10,418*	1,161*	10,811	18·97	9·60	9·96	56·4
1928	21,151*	10,408*	1,042*	11,009	18·96	9·33	9·87	49·3
Jan.-Sept., 1929†	17,110*	9,608*	947*	8,356	18·57	10·43	9·07	55·3
Jan.-Sept., 1928	15,884*	7,709*	795*	8,026	19·01	9·22	9·60	50·1

† Since 1st Jan., 1929, the Metropolis has been extended by the inclusion of the municipalities of Auburn, Bankstown, Granville, Lidcombe and Parramatta.

Ex-Nuptial births in the Metropolis numbered 1,523 in 1926, 1,194\* in 1927, 1,226\* in 1928, and 983 in Jan.-Sept., 1929.

\* Since the 1st January, 1927, these figures are based on the usual place of permanent residence.

## No. 7.—Vital Statistics of the Metropolis—June and September Quarters, 1929.

Particulars.	June Quarter, 1929.	Sept. Quarter, 1929.	Principal Causes of Death.	June Quarter, 1929.	Sept. Quarter, 1929.
Births ... ..	5,782	5,780	Epidemic Diseases ...	96	216
Marriages ... ..	3,000	2,652	Tuberculosis of Respiratory System ...	163	172
Ex-Nuptial Births ... ..	323	371	Cancer ... ..	304	342
Deaths ... ..	2,902	3,973	Diseases of the Heart ...	589	760
Deaths under 1 year ... ..	285	345	Pulmonary Diseases ...	318	655
" 1 year and over ... ..	2,617	3,628	Diarrhoea and Enteritis ...	65	24
Annual Rates per 1,000 of Population—			Bright's Disease ...	169	254
Births ... ..	18·88	18·82	Developmental Diseases ...		
Marriages ... ..	9·79	8·63	of Infants ... ..	156	194
Ex-Nuptial Births ... ..	1·05	1·21	Senility ... ..	106	178
Deaths ... ..	9·47	12·93	Accident ... ..	164	159
Deaths under 1 per 1,000 Births ... ..	49·29	59·69			

# No. 8.—Principal Causes of Death—September Quarter and January to September, 1929.

Cause of Death.	Metropolis.				New South Wales.			
	Quarter ended 30th Sept., 1929.			Jan. to Sept., 1929.	Quarter ended 30th Sept., 1929.			Jan. to Sept., 1929.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Total.
<b>General Diseases—</b>								
Typhoid Fever ... ..	...	...	...	9	1	4	5	37
Measles ... ..	2	3	5	17	7	5	12	47
Scarlet Fever ... ..	7	9	16	35	10	16	26	59
Whooping-cough ... ..	17	14	31	48	19	28	47	83
Diphtheria ... ..	10	12	22	82	24	26	50	188
Influenza ... ..	54	66	120	153	226	177	403	493
Plague ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Erysipelas ... ..	9	5	14	24	15	9	24	48
Infantile Paralysis ... ..	...	...	...	6	2	3	5	16
Epidemic Cerebro-spinal Meningitis ... ..	...	1	1	2	2	2	4	7
Other Epidemic Diseases ... ..	4	3	7	32	7	6	13	61
Tuberculosis of Respiratory System ... ..	110	62	172	492	196	117	313	847
Tuberculosis, Meninges and Nervous System ... ..	5	8	13	26	11	11	22	45
Other Tuberculosis Diseases ... ..	3	5	8	40	6	10	16	69
Other Infectious Diseases ... ..	22	8	30	62	38	13	51	114
Cancer ... ..	167	175	342	963	318	284	602	1,773
Diabetes ... ..	29	39	68	138	45	72	117	253
Alcoholism ... ..	2	1	3	14	7	1	8	33
Other General Diseases ... ..	27	38	65	195	76	78	154	470
<b>Local Diseases—</b>								
Meningitis ... ..	16	11	27	69	31	25	56	142
Cerebral Haemorrhage ... ..	61	81	142	349	141	131	272	660
Convulsions of Infants ... ..	...	2	2	5	1	8	9	27
Other Diseases of Nervous System ... ..	69	64	133	309	132	99	231	587
Diseases of the Heart ... ..	413	347	760	1,837	765	593	1,358	3,228
Other Diseases Circulatory System ... ..	119	53	172	430	199	101	300	734
Bronchitis ... ..	47	66	113	199	126	146	272	443
Pneumonia ... ..	261	252	513	893	566	467	1,033	1,841
Other Diseases Respiratory System ... ..	28	30	58	124	64	58	122	264
Diseases of the Stomach ... ..	15	10	25	46	22	15	37	95
Diarrhoea and Enteritis ... ..	15	9	24	202	36	26	62	511
Appendicitis ... ..	12	7	19	75	32	14	46	166
Hernia, Intestinal Obstruction ... ..	18	17	35	94	28	28	56	171
Cirrhosis of the Liver ... ..	9	8	17	54	16	9	25	85
Peritonitis ... ..	...	2	2	9	...	3	3	17
Other Diseases of Digestive System ... ..	17	31	48	132	41	62	103	279
Bright's Disease (Acute and Chronic) ... ..	142	112	254	551	252	204	456	1,039
Other Genito-Urinary Diseases ... ..	37	29	66	187	80	54	134	352
Puerperal Septicæmia ... ..	...	12	12	32	...	28	28	60
Other Puerperal Diseases ... ..	...	21	21	64	...	47	47	141
<b>Developmental Diseases of Infants—</b>								
Prematurity ... ..	49	48	97	285	136	114	250	673
Other Developmental Diseases ... ..	58	39	97	249	158	96	254	628
Senility ... ..	101	77	178	352	231	169	400	821
<b>Violence—</b>								
Suicide ... ..	32	14	46	133	60	19	79	218
Accident ... ..	127	32	159	498	276	63	339	1,071
All other Causes ... ..	23	13	36	92	57	25	82	240
<b>Total ... ..</b>	<b>2,137</b>	<b>1,836</b>	<b>3,973</b>	<b>9,608</b>	<b>4,460</b>	<b>3,466</b>	<b>7,926</b>	<b>19,089</b>

Note.—Since the 1st January, 1929, the Metropolis has been extended by the inclusion of the municipalities of Auburn, Bankstown, Granville, Lidcombe and Parramatta.  
The Figures are based on the usual place of residence of deceased.



## No. 9.—Oversea Trade of New South Wales with Principal Countries.

Country.	Imports. (Country of Origin).			Exports.		
	1926-27.	1927-28.	1928-29.	1926-27.	1927-28.	1928-29.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom ... ..	26,830,519	26,320,855	23,619,283	15,416,894	13,672,444	13,011,047
Canada ... ..	1,930,729	1,622,135	1,921,359	231,035	312,492	277,437
Fiji ... ..	37,537	62,555	49,404	425,209	464,003	492,813
Hong Kong ... ..	6,149	10,742	11,066	184,571	166,417	217,984
India and Ceylon ... ..	3,613,424	3,024,188	3,359,247	499,690	138,888	786,783
Irish Free State ... ..	1,624	451	98	37,800	11,559	92,041
Malaya ... ..	621,893	577,266	394,705	446,301	437,543	399,471
New Zealand ... ..	1,596,015	1,414,989	927,639	2,654,937	2,519,143	2,467,992
Union of South Africa ... ..	606,384	491,991	431,060	181,254	150,945	172,372
Other Oversea British ... ..	1,506,825	1,370,943	1,354,310	1,108,954	1,026,445	1,130,113
<b>Total, British</b> ... ..	<b>36,751,099</b>	<b>34,895,215</b>	<b>32,068,231</b>	<b>21,186,645</b>	<b>18,899,879</b>	<b>19,048,058</b>
Belgium ... ..	358,162	374,502	306,378	3,742,784	3,729,040	3,708,508
Czecho Slovakia ... ..	217,934	273,001	330,799	9,022	19,665	15,916
China ... ..	424,759	336,832	338,626	121,535	136,987	288,773
France ... ..	1,839,369	1,614,055	1,659,800	8,563,244	7,158,406	6,643,150
Germany ... ..	1,722,933	1,939,335	1,851,637	4,462,654	5,077,241	4,498,985
Italy ... ..	578,896	544,300	604,497	1,207,515	1,527,248	1,750,678
Japan ... ..	2,643,349	2,150,265	2,391,399	5,465,688	6,551,326	6,390,395
Netherlands ... ..	420,721	484,835	678,582	351,848	199,721	199,889
Netherlands East Indies ... ..	2,936,755	2,552,993	3,456,359	637,728	506,129	487,604
New Caledonia ... ..	56,170	32,151	30,951	239,788	244,602	242,627
Norway ... ..	374,127	432,461	292,678	808	63	550
Philippine Islands ... ..	105,044	79,882	73,933	257,165	218,235	170,372
Russia ... ..	26,137	34,069	62,835	50	874,911	597,055
Sweden ... ..	757,829	724,592	627,406	80,147	220,740	159,403
Switzerland ... ..	1,058,931	950,257	935,744	6,717	5,079	3,725
United States of America ... ..	17,891,253	16,745,612	16,883,404	*14,846,671	5,612,409	3,166,276
Other Foreign ... ..	776,613	997,907	897,774	1,635,068	901,248	1,916,824
<b>Total, Foreign</b> ... ..	<b>32,188,982</b>	<b>30,177,051</b>	<b>31,422,892</b>	<b>41,628,432</b>	<b>32,983,050</b>	<b>30,240,832</b>
<b>Total, all Oversea Trade</b> ... ..	<b>68,940,081</b>	<b>65,072,266</b>	<b>63,491,123</b>	<b>62,815,077</b>	<b>51,882,929</b>	<b>49,288,890</b>

\* Includes Gold Specie valued at £10,000,000 exported.

## No. 10.—Oversea Imports and Exports of New South Wales.—Monthly.

Month.	Imports.				Exports.			
	1926-27.	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1926-27.	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
July ... ..	5,959,677	5,708,265	5,236,620	5,859,582	5,450,897	3,937,645	1,890,742	1,717,308
August ... ..	6,326,916	6,608,090	5,942,394	5,122,441	4,450,991	4,537,609	2,329,079	1,730,807
September ... ..	5,349,799	6,023,873	3,914,945	5,815,329	6,194,120	5,679,304	3,704,543	4,072,466
	17,636,392	18,341,128	15,093,959	16,797,352	16,096,008	13,254,558	7,924,364	7,520,671
October ... ..	5,749,768	6,168,842	6,498,171	4,926,230	7,901,686	4,882,564	4,872,296	3,333,886
November ... ..	6,136,335	5,715,456	5,352,446	5,924,079	4,727,724	5,607,158	5,634,673	3,802,942
December ... ..	5,676,814	4,944,217	5,277,015	4,439,693	5,454,053	4,957,125	5,830,362	3,640,418
	17,562,917	16,828,515	17,127,632	15,350,002	18,083,463	15,446,847	16,337,331	10,777,246
January ... ..	5,596,871	5,528,947	6,067,701	...	4,755,532	4,860,491	4,095,506	...
February ... ..	5,622,966	5,234,074	4,520,656	...	5,729,180	5,270,376	6,280,544	...
March ... ..	6,188,828	4,860,121	4,866,529	...	6,944,686	5,952,571	5,553,226	...
	17,408,665	15,623,142	15,454,886	...	17,429,398	16,083,438	15,929,276	...
April ... ..	5,938,487	3,933,356	5,223,962	...	3,520,708	2,023,997	3,391,601	...
May ... ..	5,415,530	5,682,486	5,079,170	...	4,694,474	2,336,152	3,460,982	...
June ... ..	5,352,654	4,770,824	5,348,006	...	3,018,302	2,876,421	2,318,841	...
	16,716,671	14,386,666	15,651,138	...	11,233,484	7,236,570	9,171,424	...

NOTE.—The monthly figures of imports and exports are subject to alterations, consequently their total does not agree with the figures in Table No. 9.

No. 11.—Imports Oversea into New South Wales during the Six Months ended 31st December, 1928 and 1929, and during the December Quarters, 1928 and 1929.

Article Imported.	Six Months ended 31st December.				Quarter ended 31st December.			
	1928.		1929.		1928.		1929.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		£		£		£		£
Ale, Beer, and Porter ... gal.	88,196	32,756	68,375	22,818	58,520	21,245	29,370	8,864
Apparel and Attire ... ..	...	314,338	...	312,024	...	146,462	...	132,580
Socks and Stockings ... ..	...	328,725	...	286,682	...	160,422	...	120,827
Bags and Sacks—								
Bran, Chaff, and Fodder doz.	214,233	100,496	142,525	62,216	157,383	76,794	73,810	28,514
Corn and Flour ... ..	1,316,285	679,252	599,901	274,256	983,699	507,447	388,812	172,759
Woolpacks ... ..	96,328	223,326	76,427	177,376	3,824	5,837	1,279	2,881
Bags, Baskets, Purses, etc. ...	...	123,420	...	128,899	...	61,985	...	62,610
Blankets, Blanketing, and Flannels..	...	13,469	...	11,258	...	6,502	...	4,830
Books (printed), etc. ... ..	...	328,756	...	303,393	...	198,007	...	150,204
Boots and Shoes ... ..	...	111,186	...	102,370	...	53,358	...	46,239
Brushware ... ..	...	105,140	...	93,435	...	44,382	...	51,031
Clocks and Watches ... ..	...	180,565	...	179,154	...	111,486	...	103,990
Cocoa and Chocolate ... lb.	2,444,924	127,727	2,283,058	104,007	1,229,813	61,161	967,179	42,798
Confectionery, n.e.i. ... ..	318,597	21,602	446,540	29,296	179,060	11,198	265,243	16,183
Copper Pipes, etc... ..	3,613	19,097	1,161	8,100	2,219	9,898	643	4,666
Copra ... ..	289,160	328,639	253,412	252,376	130,419	147,724	108,225	103,828
Cosies, Cushions, Counterpanes,								
Quilts, Table Covers, etc. ...	...	157,013	...	158,470	...	79,616	...	79,545
Cream of Tartar ... ..	571,105	27,073	312,817	15,078	270,520	12,313	153,725	7,466
Cutlery, Spoons, and Forks, n.e.i.	...	144,544	...	134,284	...	62,048	...	47,297
Dyes ... ..	...	19,736	...	27,679	...	10,856	...	11,412
Earthenware, etc. ... ..	...	86,507	...	92,351	...	44,571	...	46,315
Fancy Goods ... ..	...	286,977	...	233,518	...	135,110	...	116,575
Fish—Preserved in tins, etc. lb.	5,201,595	247,846	6,451,540	349,152	3,688,026	167,604	4,443,554	244,762
Floor Coverings—								
Carpets and Carpeting, etc. ...	...	323,239	...	361,671	...	161,379	...	192,051
Linoleums, Oilcloths, etc. ...	...	253,795	...	231,045	...	128,425	...	152,896
Furniture ... ..	...	88,222	...	85,018	...	44,043	...	45,815
Glass and Glassware ... ..	...	262,830	...	277,307	...	154,335	...	147,257
Gloves ... ..	...	106,646	...	90,014	...	38,742	...	30,736
Gold—Bar, Dust, Ingot, Sheet,								
and Matte ... ..	47,662	110,885	36,901	104,110	21,609	52,193	10,922	31,244
Grain and Pulse—								
Maize ... ..	1	1	5	16	...	...	1	2
Oats ... ..	13,144	6,445	1,821	1,022	249	167	954	453
Rice ... ..	18,201	14,839	56,500	40,331	12,514	10,003	36,289	25,805
Gums and Resins ... ..	45,551	66,782	44,893	85,539	26,487	38,326	19,938	36,796
Hats and Caps ... ..	...	171,026	...	198,951	...	66,003	...	80,624
Iron and Steel—								
Bar, Rod, Angle, Tee... ..	188,699	144,415	149,804	135,150	58,777	78,991	77,378	68,922
Structural Girders, etc. ...	155,878	67,078	185,348	81,507	73,742	29,864	119,082	51,652
Pig ... ..	1,449	428	12,520	2,787	20	19	6,200	1,330
Plate and Sheet—Galvanised	163,840	161,685	174,931	173,433	103,301	103,925	72,363	71,868
Other ... ..	578,577	460,544	608,069	528,424	320,747	262,599	301,310	249,911
Jewellery and Precious Stones ..	...	252,129	...	171,328	...	148,460	...	63,323
Kapok ... ..	2,307,042	111,313	2,011,537	83,508	1,189,853	55,295	938,802	40,874
Kinematograph Films ... ..	...	98,569	...	139,966	...	46,297	...	45,208
Lamps and Lampware ... ..	...	113,378	...	106,709	...	64,209	...	53,050
Leather ... ..	...	44,581	...	46,757	...	19,808	...	22,497
Linseed ... ..	183,392	162,963	241,621	218,575	89,280	79,357	89,988	92,247
Machinery and Implements—								
Agricultural ... ..	...	136,442	...	80,151	...	72,735	...	41,144
Electrical—								
Cable and Wire, covered, cwt.	71,487	329,227	109,644	474,704	43,541	158,117	51,361	246,999
Other ... ..	...	1,230,186	...	1,237,514	...	581,626	...	588,081
Engines ... ..	...	309,057	...	254,858	...	176,753	...	123,667
Mining ... ..	...	27,922	...	68,850	...	17,853	...	19,575
Motive-power ... ..	...	75,353	...	65,858	...	29,001	...	28,896
Sewing ... ..	...	86,183	...	100,303	...	48,570	...	48,299
Other ... ..	...	988,279	...	1,272,730	...	487,723	...	615,405
Matches and Vestas, gross boxes	179,862	28,746	133,363	21,437	115,596	18,653	79,530	12,986
Medicines (Proprietary)... ..	...	90,130	...	114,487	...	48,741	...	50,517

**No. 11.—Imports Oversea into New South Wales during the Six Months ended 31st December, 1928 and 1929, and during the December Quarters, 1928 and 1929—continued.**

Article Imported.	Six Months ended 31st December.				Quarter ended 31st December.			
	1928.		1929.		1928.		1929.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		£		£		£		£
<b>Metal Manufactures, other than Machinery—</b>								
Pipes, Tubes, and Fittings ...	...	283,773	...	329,722	...	160,670	...	146,153
Wire ...	...	54,805	...	70,686	...	32,846	...	34,131
Wire-netting ...	...	987	...	2,381	...	557	...	1,002
Miscellaneous ...	...	667,854	...	671,498	...	389,695	...	323,419
<b>Musical Instruments—</b>								
Pianos ...	No. 1,029	88,481	517	37,714	457	48,991	183	14,330
Parts ...	...	24,661	...	11,154	...	11,886	...	3,811
<b>Oils—</b>								
Petroleum and Shale Spirit, Benzene, etc. ... gal.	36,772,851	1,385,145	40,997,564	1,334,065	17,426,184	673,822	21,857,018	723,310
Kerosene ...	4,869,124	156,465	5,742,123	151,800	1,812,168	60,553	2,780,575	76,658
Lubricating (Mineral) ...	2,992,179	219,038	3,044,021	253,447	1,383,649	104,729	1,403,693	129,140
Residual ...	550,449	7,668	94,634	914	317,521	4,164	71,923	598
Paints and Colours (ground in liquid) ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Paper—Printing ...	3,021	6,396	1,526	4,123	1,766	3,788	940	2,749
Writing, and Typewriting (plain) etc.	...	734,113	...	798,409	...	380,461	...	396,487
Wrapping ...	...	134,965	...	137,054	...	78,532	...	69,715
Piece Goods—	...	72,712	...	71,568	...	41,281	...	41,248
Canvas and Duck ...	...	146,130	...	134,103	...	92,188	...	64,512
Cotton ...	...	1,433,596	...	1,633,184	...	676,627	...	635,209
Linen, n.e.i. ...	...	93,062	...	90,547	...	43,389	...	36,805
Hessians, Brattice Cloth, and other Jute ...	...	143,003	...	159,857	...	79,668	...	72,207
Silk, etc. ...	...	1,503,920	...	1,559,018	...	526,195	...	544,173
Velvets, Velvetens, etc. ...	...	92,903	...	112,369	...	56,288	...	65,969
Woollens ...	...	202,272	...	187,856	...	89,687	...	79,682
Other ...	...	413,731	...	550,739	...	175,606	...	234,233
Rubber Manufactures ...	...	271,628	...	225,432	...	135,752	...	101,429
Sewing and other Cottons, Threads, etc.	...	157,775	...	162,190	...	83,576	...	75,184
Silver—Bar, Ingot, Sheet, Matte oz.	4,846	514	1,877	208	2,210	246	1,877	208
Specie—								
Gold ...	...	377	...	...	...	259	...	...
Silver ...	...	2,749	...	11,358	...	...	...	9,472
<b>Spirits (Beverages)—</b>								
Brandy ... gal.	13,728	26,337	6,794	14,386	6,732	16,172	5,032	11,809
Gin ...	75,104	58,825	47,664	33,734	36,133	28,128	23,241	16,184
Rum ...	11,995	11,256	22,999	12,656	8,447	5,264	3,855	2,287
Whisky ...	327,903	373,718	326,756	383,016	160,612	189,508	201,154	233,058
Other ...	10,874	9,633	9,156	7,288	5,191	4,599	5,285	4,108
Stationery ...	...	154,781	...	182,355	...	79,945	...	101,711
Sugar (the produce of Cane) cwt.	4	6	...	...	...	...	...	...
Talking Machines, etc. ...	...	105,232	...	95,265	...	56,797	...	45,186
Tea ... lb.	15,279,530	1,122,262	17,002,501	1,216,108	8,146,279	597,512	8,625,628	566,686
Timber—Dressed, n.e.i. sup. ft.	5,033,582	61,198	9,364,991	107,290	3,930,832	47,909	5,024,125	58,198
Logs, not sawn, and Spars ...	2,916,899	20,152	3,610,155	22,031	1,661,775	10,157	1,422,338	9,823
Undressed, n.e.i. ...	48,224,039	546,574	93,883,245	944,017	16,583,915	200,201	59,452,384	504,020
Tobacco—Manufactured lb.	440,920	62,117	277,898	41,541	256,843	39,171	124,855	17,388
Unmanufactured ...	3,573,615	679,976	7,494,795	694,798	1,880,851	235,807	2,456,191	222,627
Cigars ...	35,752	39,575	26,078	32,281	22,955	22,581	13,546	14,422
Cigarettes ...	242,604	122,147	219,057	106,497	122,062	61,306	71,598	34,997
Tools of Trade ...	...	215,701	...	208,749	...	118,877	...	168,650
Trimnings and Ornaments ...	...	132,369	...	145,854	...	58,110	...	63,576
Vehicles—Bicycles, etc., and parts ...	...	216,933	...	186,204	...	114,048	...	95,852
Motor Bodies ...	No. 3,034	325,782	2,397	259,281	1,842	196,738	1,153	133,337
Motor Chassis ...	10,753	1,581,174	14,810	1,476,849	9,670	937,127	5,952	662,341
Other Vehicles and parts ...	...	425,905	...	380,757	...	243,579	...	181,597
Wines—Sparkling ... gal.	4,720	12,441	3,987	8,794	2,734	6,441	1,934	4,390
Still ...	11,720	6,811	14,968	8,923	7,868	4,498	7,934	4,866
Yarns ...	...	518,888	...	599,817	...	309,890	...	297,816
All other Articles ...	...	6,767,398	...	6,073,855	...	4,242,283	...	3,154,953
<b>Total ...</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>32,221,591</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>32,147,354</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>17,127,632</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>15,350,002</b>

No. 12.—Exports Oversea from New South Wales during the Six Month ended 31st., December, 1928 and 1929, and during the December Quarters, 1928 and 1929.

Article Exported.		Six Months ended 31st December.				Quarter ended 31st December.			
		1928.		1929.		1928.		1929.	
		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
			£		£		£		£
Ale, Beer, and Porter ... gal.		71,225	15,856	48,657	10,682	37,184	8,336	20,052	4,232
Animals, Living—									
Horses ... .. No.		531	26,275	647	72,527	374	18,944	486	61,308
Other Animals ... ..		...	30,989	...	32,255	...	21,372	...	17,957
Apparel and Attire ... ..		...	32,601	...	34,631	...	18,292	...	20,225
Biscuits ... .. lb.		1,507,669	41,251	1,205,786	43,277	618,406	20,439	620,226	22,496
Bones, Horns and Hoofs ... ..		...	6,822	...	6,427	...	4,108	...	2,784
Books (Printed), etc. ... ..		...	27,775	...	32,169	...	12,037	...	16,696
Boots and Shoes ... ..		...	6,937	...	6,737	...	3,372	...	3,958
Butter ... .. lb.		5,308,326	384,051	8,650,053	632,045	4,959,718	294,374	8,030,528	582,760
Cheese ... ..		48,116	2,801	56,611	3,432	22,951	1,340	30,776	1,756
Coal ... .. ton		186,616	234,614	77,484	99,091	77,048	96,253	33,136	42,663
Coke ... ..		1,430	22,376	717	2,142	2,799	5,634	176	451
Concentrates—									
Silver and Silver-Lead ... cwt.		1,451	1,096	655	550	1,090	794	...	...
Other ... ..		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Confectionery ... .. lb.		461,555	42,916	227,865	25,331	285,706	24,527	118,694	13,914
Copper ... .. cwt.		36,906	129,983	40,177	169,930	10,401	38,812	23,943	101,231
Drugs and Chemicals, Other ... ..		...	20,613	...	28,805	...	8,566	...	16,766
Eggs ... .. doz.		853,893	66,314	1,620,572	122,666	692,558	53,673	959,898	71,064
Fertilizers—									
Ammonium Sulphate ... cwt.		17,246	10,500	...	...	2,020	1,171	...	...
Bonedust, Superphosphates, etc. ... ..		16,930	8,939	16,603	7,712	11,030	5,774	4,414	2,441
Fruits, Dried—									
Currants ... .. lb.		43,813	930	78,612	2,148	8,070	184	26,868	698
Raisins ... ..		20,687	642	181,347	5,203	14,453	445	20,902	832
Fruits, Fresh—									
Apples ... .. entl.		4,537	5,271	921	1,833	371	473	267	515
Citrus (Lemons and Oranges) ... ..		56,627	52,264	17,960	27,219	38,244	33,321	8,324	13,764
Fruits and Vegetables (Preserved) ... ..		...	10,923	...	9,215	...	6,035	...	5,693
Furniture ... ..		...	7,438	...	10,425	...	3,721	...	6,105
Glue Pieces and Sinews ... cwt.		1,530	5,829	3,073	4,980	1,107	4,855	1,447	2,842
Gold—Bar, Dust, Ingot, Sheet and Matte ... oz.		3,601	7,428	169	705	3,543	7,183	...	...
Grain and Pulse—									
Maize ... .. entl.		11,945	5,052	535	369	3,025	1,207	257	159
Oats ... ..		1,295	757	319	205	677	370	142	88
Wheat ... ..		3,839,539	1,593,120	333,959	148,664	3,462,852	1,410,348	89,780	41,706
Bran, Pollard, and Sharps ... ..		95,977	40,840	50,559	29,511	47,264	19,429	27,227	15,033
Flour (Wheaten) ... ..		1,628,703	914,789	1,193,305	734,934	1,034,365	568,591	575,108	332,378
Hair ... .. lb.		25,172	2,871	341,647	4,183	23,704	2,404	21,637	1,684
Hats, Caps, and Bonnets ... ..		...	4,445	...	10,027	...	2,406	...	5,928
Hay and Chaff ... .. cwt.		1,530	687	1,774	945	684	307	1,089	595
Iron and Steel ... ..		49,730	26,013	60,209	29,123	21,277	10,643	27,179	14,101
Jams and Jellies ... .. lb.		147,956	4,468	124,202	3,821	70,910	2,163	62,608	1,962
Jewellery ... ..		...	953	...	2,972	...	465	...	2,138
Precious Stone, Pearls, etc. ... ..		...	33,029	...	10,321	...	22	...	7,296
Lard ... .. lb.		127,412	4,409	87,202	3,275	75,029	2,562	45,275	1,713
Lead—									
Contained in Matte ... cwt.		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pig ... ..		511,668	558,163	579,532	664,959	253,367	279,216	321,219	356,642
Sheet and Piping ... ..		5,326	7,969	6,789	9,840	1,999	3,031	3,802	5,430
Leather ... ..		...	177,475	...	141,630	...	93,023	...	81,154
Leather Manufactures, n.e.i. ... ..		...	4,800	...	5,878	...	1,839	...	3,482



No. 12.—Exports Oversea from New South Wales during the six months ended 31st December, 1928 and 1929, and during the December Quarters, 1928 and 1929—continued.

Article Exported.	Six Months ended 31st December.				Quarter ended 31st December.			
	1928.		1929.		1928.		1929.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value
Meats—Bacon and Hams lb.	326,057	£ 27,749	245,547	£ 20,782	205,925	£ 19,646	192,781	£ 16,926
Preserved by cold process—								
Beef ... ..	3,913,195	77,484	2,789,920	57,889	2,931,240	58,952	1,381,698	39,729
Mutton ... ..	186,809 } 203,327		130,333 } 112,500		65,314 } 67,421		82,350 } 67,191	
Lamb ... ..	9,649,522 } 195,504		6,270,029 } 241,820		3,423,347 } 113,152		3,889,561 } 154,071	
Rabbits and Hares ...	189,280 } 121,100		290,742 } 9,880		121,477 } 43,977		191,149 } 48,578	
Potted or Concentrated ...	6,448,972 } 121,100		9,110,801 } 42,924		3,860,835 } 26,100		5,799,791 } 60,701	
Preserved in tins, etc. ... lb.	1,444,609	14,975	1,413,447	138,303	427,782	8,622	485,783	46,161
Medicines ... ..	1,509,838	46,459	1,132,619	42,924	875,827	26,100	607,012	22,997
Metal Manufactures other than Machinery ... ..	...	53,279	...	53,824	...	26,820	...	23,562
Milk and Cream ... ..	...	174,775	...	157,006	...	88,572	...	80,997
Oils—Cocoanut ... gal.	...	6,367	...	5,677	...	2,878	...	2,707
Eucalyptus ... ..	16,010	2,897	30,919	4,786	3,789	702	15,593	2,374
Onions ... ..	12,923	8,313	11,283	6,809	5,312	3,570	6,787	3,750
Ores—	13,555	8,513	6,977	4,784	6,861	4,929	2,478	1,714
Gold (quartz & concentrates) "	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Silver and Silver-Lead "	19,772	13,844	11,709	10,254	12,614	7,859	10,777	9,388
Other ... ..	...	2,220	...	6,304	...	1,108	...	2,952
Paints and Colours ... ..	...	27,375	...	25,693	...	14,085	...	13,862
Potatoes ... ..	...	6,634	6,388	6,710	8,678	3,562	2,617	2,955
Rubber Manufactures ...	...	26,108	...	46,425	...	10,054	...	18,233
Sausage Casings ... ..	...	72,485	...	85,661	...	40,428	...	47,497
Seeds ... ..	...	24,534	...	10,079	...	14,974	...	4,238
Silver—Bar, ingot, sheet and Matte. oz.	21,543	2,471	3,872	403	1,807	230	3,218	335
Skins and Hides—Cattle No.	361,652	441,715	263,630	224,941	214,166	220,377	134,400	102,867
Kangaroo ... ..	603,381	112,100	765,954	132,799	374,638	71,808	502,087	88,567
Opossum ... ..	18,044	21,434	110,632	170,215	2,446	3,546	13,603	17,782
Rabbit and Hare ... ..	4,818,769	1,276,128	4,397,025	905,244	1,229,314	288,854	858,210	136,438
Sheep, with Wool ... { No.	1,538,508	1,700,566	1,700,566	928,760	928,760	415,815	983,658	272,165
Sheep, without Wool { lb.	13,935,960	816,829	14,478,435	579,415	7,651,195	8,555	7,576,422	7,613
Other ... ..	202,437	17,318	215,316	15,133	94,098	20,791	108,372	21,566
Other ... ..	512,770	103,896	440,239	86,986	253,590	39,796	209,097	20,519
Soap—Toilet, Fancy, and Medicated lb.	275,978	9,699	172,864	9,745	147,153	4,997	78,164	3,495
Other ... ..	1,678,034	22,549	1,444,680	21,559	830,484	11,028	735,712	16,702
Specie—Gold ... ..	...	8,7320	...	1,445,550	...	62,500	...	430,550
Silver ... ..	...	11,340	...	3,475	...	3,400	...	650
Stationery and Paper ...	...	37,545	...	38,770	...	20,791	...	21,566
Sugar (the produce of Cane) cwt.	11,493	14,231	10,616	11,989	5,249	6,575	4,908	5,419
Tallow, unrefined ... ..	161,470	293,627	133,906	229,765	103,979	187,906	66,423	115,213
Timber—								
Dressed—Other super. ft.	285,112	5,906	361,902	10,058	128,050	2,580	135,236	3,920
Logs, not sawn and spars "	1,225,535	39,444	3,173,141	40,105	1,032,674	16,507	1,821,682	27,722
Undressed—Other ...	6,131,551	107,415	5,528,285	101,998	3,615,198	59,652	2,907,097	55,238
Tin Ingots ... ..	13,069	144,782	10,531	107,950	8,206	92,452	4,460	43,371
Tobacco—Manufactured lb.	739,413	130,266	787,100	149,631	367,841	68,246	418,164	79,899
Cigarettes ... ..	23,358	12,823	22,959	11,758	12,346	6,806	12,882	6,505
Wines—Sparkling ... gal.	705	1,557	733	1,534	494	967	443	859
Still (bottled) ... ..	10,966	6,175	25,069	17,127	6,389	2,891	15,336	10,339
(bulk) ... ..	35,310	16,125	17,957	4,475	23,759	11,094	5,723	1,582
Wood Manufactures ... ..	...	28,109	...	20,572	...	14,295	...	10,996
Wool—Greasy ... ..	522,396 } 12,157,545		461,612 } 7,382,961		418,093 } 9,636,223		373,557 } 5,697,437	
Scoured and Washed { lb. (net)	165,940,883		142,655,649		131,687,372		114,885,507	
Wool Tops ... ..	40,350 } 1,168,203		35,504 } 733,928		28,201 } 782,830		20,789 } 391,542	
Wool Tops ... ..	9,675,040 } 621		8,531,160 } 443		6,771,026 } 287		5,005,480 } 183	
Wool Tops ... ..	308,449 } 68,593		202,501 } 35,118		142,982 } 29,390		90,328 } 15,969	
All other Articles ... ..	...	1,409,716	...	1,556,489	...	626,878	...	756,427
Total ... ..	£ ...	24,261,605	...	18,297,917	...	16,337,331	...	10,777,240

## No. 13.—Principal Articles Imported at Sydney during December Quarter, 1929.

(Compiled from returns supplied by Sydney Harbour Trust.)

Article Imported.	Oversea.*		Interstate.†			State.	
	Weight.	Measure- ment.	Weight.	Measure- ment.	Value.	Weight.	Measure- ment.
					£		
Agricultural Implements tons	209	589	166	879	35,133	...	15
Ale, Beer, and Stout ...	...	394	...	614	15,296	...	15
Bacon and Ham ...	...	95	...	1,276	85,695	...	929
Boots, Shoes, etc. ...	...	383	...	800	81,323	...	4
Bullion ... cwt.	10	...	...	...	...	...	...
Butter ... tons	...	...	...	138	20,852	...	7,498
Candles, Tapers, Night-lights,,	...	34	...	67	2,330	...	2
Cement ...	245	83	2,360	...	11,839	1,379	...
Chaff ...	...	...	1,208	...	9,035	...	...
Cheese ...	...	70	...	370	36,423	...	676
Coal ...	5,011	...	3,207	...	4,801	128,410	...
„ (bunker) ...	356	...	491	...	730	91,308	...
Confectionery ...	28	448	...	2,376	159,157	...	16
Cordage, rope, twine, etc. „	...	371	...	332	20,150	...	4
Drapery ...	21	13,916	...	3,214	546,346	...	180
Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals..	806	4,043	175	743	77,159	7	12
Earthenware ...	...	2,914	...	301	4,982	...	6
Eggs (in shell) ...	...	...	...	674	15,420	...	717
Fish, fresh and frozen „	...	304	...	9	240	1,723	239
Oysters... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	345
Flour ...	...	...	738	5	10,827	24	1
Furniture ...	...	826	...	203	5,423	...	19
Glass and Glassware ...	1,794	6,087	...	823	10,966	...	149
Grain—Maize ...	...	...	76	...	880	161	...
Oats ...	42	...	1,292	...	15,214	...	...
Wheat ...	5	...	26	...	306	...	...
Hardware ...	7,228	4,681	1,268	1,097	110,996	293	74
Hay ...	55	...	135	...	1,276	515	...
Hides and Skins ...	79	685	75	1,009	54,427	...	1,028
Iron—Galvanized ...	1,185	...	21	...	549	10	...
Pig ...	...	...	...	...	...	41	...
Jams and Jellies ...	...	59	...	2,322	90,724	...	4
Leatherware ...	...	154	...	395	77,546	...	34
Machines and Machinery „	1,154	11,429	731	1,806	160,897	174	175
Matches & Match-making Material „	...	1,106	...	517	25,853	...	...
Milk & Cream, preserved	...	198	...	2,220	146,670	...	460
Molasses and Syrup ...	4,918	...	6,733	...	26,997	1,263	...
Oilmen's Stores ...	60	1,259	80	950	61,861	5	113
Onions ...	139	3	1,875	...	20,222	30	...
Potatoes ...	...	...	8,013	...	169,206	2,941	...
Saddlery ...	2	26	...	7	773	...	1
Soap ...	2	54	95	247	13,373	...	9
Specie ...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Spirits—Brandy ...	...	98	...	282	54,563	...	...
Gin ...	...	181	...	302	26,613	...	...
Rum ...	...	16	...	223	37,607	...	1
Whisky ...	...	1,795	...	148	19,925	...	1
Sugar ...	...	...	61,244	...	1,531,374	12,492	...
Tea ...	...	9,381	...	209	12,597	...	4
Tobacco, Cigars, etc. ...	...	4,136	...	464	151,016	...	1
Vegetables, fresh ...	6	274	863	451	12,559	364	292
Waters, Cordials, etc. „	...	322	...	229	5,665	...	33
Wines ...	...	130	...	2,206	96,792	...	26
Woodenware ...	...	935	...	519	12,808	...	143
Woollens ...	...	325	...	619	137,555	...	...
All other Articles ...	176,976	168,130	45,588	52,824	2,259,298	37,265	21,188
Total tons	200,321	235,935	136,460	81,870	6,490,269	278,405	34,414
Animals—Horses ... No.	...	20	...	55	5,400	...	36
Horned Cattle ...	...	2	...	5	75	...	841
Calves ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	189
Sheep ...	...	...	...	41	1,350	...	...
Pigs... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,771
Bananas ... cases	...	...	...	9,386	11,485	...	3,578
Fruit, fresh ...	...	1,617	...	133,705	79,268	...	12,930
Melons, Pumpkins, Squashes No.	...	...	...	133,471	8,511	...	1,352
Timber—Rough & Sawn, sup. ft.	52,062,799	...	4,149,156	...	84,062	9,793,474	...
Wool—Bales and Butts No.	...	276	...	7,397	141,128	...	15,597
Bags ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,286

\* The total value of all OVERSEA IMPORTS at Sydney, during December quarter, 1929, was £14,808,363.

† The total value of all INTERSTATE IMPORTS at Sydney in December quarter, 1929, was £6,837,517.

**No. 14.—Principal Articles Manufactured in New South Wales during the years ended 30th June, 1927 and 1928.**

Article Manufactured.	Quantity.		Value.	
	1927.	1928.	1927.	1928.
Aerated Waters, Cordials, etc. ... doz.	6,845,653	6,489,513	£ 978,277	£ 931,623
Ale, Beer, and Stout ... gals.	27,372,435	28,130,066	2,964,969	3,083,499
Apparel and Attire—				
Clothing—Slop ... ..	...	...	2,933,350	2,943,406
„ Tailoring ... ..	...	...	1,744,771	1,697,206
„ Other (Underclothing, White work, etc., Shirts, Ties, etc., Waterproof Clothing) ...	...	...		
Dressmaking and Millinery ... ..	...	...	2,199,851	2,280,146
Other Knitted Garments ... No.	5,173,460	5,738,152	1,195,195	1,100,177
Socks and Stockings ... doz. pairs	737,437	767,214	794,603	905,020
Bacon and Ham ... lb.	23,275,890	24,523,873	1,118,057	1,010,584
Biscuits ... ..	44,780,830	43,161,976	1,203,387	1,213,130
Blankets and Flannel ... ..	...	...	1,410,577	1,441,716
Boots and Shoes ... ..	...	...	216,737	226,304
Bricks—Building ... No.	430,064,879	439,669,889	2,367,798	2,541,813
Brooms and Brushware ... ..	...	...	1,600,237	1,642,475
Butter ... ..	91,727,225	96,706,842	269,949	244,941
Candles ... ..	3,623,633	3,200,942	7,091,724	7,273,229
Chemicals, Drugs, etc. ... ..	...	...	131,638	119,502
Cheese ... ..	6,628,000	7,080,992	2,555,798	2,550,357
Coke ... ..	1,086,604	1,013,389	289,912	303,621
Confectionery ... ..	...	...	1,604,966	1,508,030
Electric Light and Power ... units.	798,916,739	918,194,210	2,917,925	3,094,656
Flour ... ..	431,532	400,363	4,261,600	4,762,974
Furniture, incl. Seagrass, Wicker, & Bamboo ...	...	...	5,671,070	4,895,024
Gas ... ..	10,279,605	10,700,870	2,610,095	2,584,344
	cub. ft.		2,113,511	2,208,011
Gelatine ... ..	21,053	20,860	172,132	171,162
Hats and Caps ... ..	3,054,180	2,859,432	998,758	950,647
Ice ... ..	212,340	214,328	427,116	438,889
Iron and Steel ... ..	360,212	350,941	*	*
Jams and Preserves ... lb.	30,871,948	33,042,170	835,308	782,153
Leather ... ..	21,099,047	18,435,774	1,499,503	1,551,283
Manures ... ..	407,505	391,828	172,700	164,900
Margarine ... ..	16,014,623	16,376,131	522,104	526,346
Meat—Preserved in Tins ... ..	6,673,406	3,919,866	217,238	167,815
Metal Works, Machinery, &c.—				
Agricultural Implements ... ..	...	...	458,606	391,263
Brass and Copper ... ..	...	...	1,660,771	1,541,645
Engineering ... ..	...	...	4,945,680	4,890,444
Ironworks and Foundries ... ..	...	...	11,779,843	11,416,364
Metal Extraction and Ore Reduction ...	...	...	11,379,429	10,011,114
Wirework (including Nails) ... ..	...	...	3,298,893	3,089,390
Musical Instruments ... ..	...	...	1,112,830	997,435
Paints, Colours, and Varnishes ... ..	...	...	1,673,810	1,654,715
Papermaking, Paper Boxes, etc. ... ..	...	...	2,043,495	2,232,679
Pickles and Sauces ... ..	8,984,043	10,073,346	456,249	477,741
Printing, Binding, and Newspapers ...	...	...	6,365,903	6,616,250
Rubber Manufactures and Repair Work ...	...	...	2,020,230	2,555,107
Self-raising Flour ... ..	24,351,460	28,562,889	274,661	323,038
Soap ... ..	457,995	460,482	1,072,434	1,059,784
Soap Extracts, Powders, etc. ... lb.	5,147,752	5,187,589	67,544	77,837
Sugar (the Produce of Cane) ... cwt.	532,080	466,980	665,289	532,451
Timber (Native)—				
Softwood ... ..	54,685,447	48,716,239	740,747	635,741
Hardwood ... ..	108,205,939	97,858,784	1,342,692	1,171,107
Tobacco, Cigars, etc.—				
Tobacco ... ..	9,435,084	9,478,476	2,942,959	2,944,900
Cigars ... ..	96,286	96,007	106,752	102,344
Cigarettes ... ..	5,104,458	5,192,901	1,754,832	1,748,625
Tweed and Cloth ... ..	2,378,555	2,686,341	999,565	1,098,641
Vehicles and Repairing—				
Motor Car Bodies ... ..	...	...	944,143	914,543
Bicycles and Motor Cycles ... ..	...	...	190,029	176,381
Coaches and Waggons ... ..	...	...	397,455	315,716
Wool, Scoured ... ..	30,021,122	24,672,168	3,371,345	3,318,819
Other Manufactured Goods ... ..	...	...	62,145,404	65,794,027
Total Value of Goods Manufactured and other Work Done ...	...	...	179,302,446	181,403,084

\* Not available.

**No. 15.—Shipping entered—Port of Sydney.**  
(Compiled from Returns supplied by Sydney Harbour Trust.)

Year ended 30th June.	Description of Vessels.	Number of Vessels.			Net Tonnage.		
		Oversea and Interstate.	State.	Total.	Oversea and Interstate.	State.	Total.
1928.	Steam ...	2,336	5,184	7,520	7,006,095	1,567,503	8,573,598
	Motor ...	188	40	228	581,800	21,000	602,800
	Sailing ...	15	37	52	12,388	23,509	35,897
1929.	Steam ...	2,282	4,472	6,754	6,965,204	1,317,953	8,283,257
	Motor ...	210	92	302	735,136	35,892	771,028
	Sailing ...	6	...	6	6,868	...	6,868
Six months ended 31st December, 1929.	Steam ...	1,161	2,057	3,218	3,540,385	625,485	4,165,870
	Motor ...	143	41	184	516,491	17,702	533,193
	Sailing ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Six months ended 31st December, 1928.	Steam ...	1,157	2,416	3,573	3,532,590	717,299	4,249,889
	Motor ...	91	45	136	322,416	17,421	339,837
	Sailing ...	4	...	4	4,680	...	4,680

NOTE.—“Oversea and Interstate” shipping includes the trips and tonnages of vessels which proceed to Newcastle for bunker coal, and return to Sydney, but which do not then report at the Customs.

**No. 16.—Shipping—entered and cleared all Ports of New South Wales.**  
(Compiled from Returns supplied by Customs Department. “Oversea” and “Interstate” shipping only.)

Year ended 30th June.	Description of Vessels.	Entered.		Cleared.	
		Vessels.	Tonnage (Net).	Vessels.	Tonnage (Net).
1928.	Steam ...	3,015	8,579,502	3,109	8,547,726
	Motor ...	167	485,786	149	467,692
	Sailing ...	30	23,409	27	19,488
	Total ...	3,212	9,088,697	3,285	9,034,906
1929.	Steam ...	2,683	7,915,054	2,623	7,765,324
	Motor ...	167	585,686	149	534,593
	Sailing ...	16	9,587	20	17,105
	Total ...	2,866	8,510,927	2,792	8,308,022
Six months ended 31st December, 1929.	Steam ...	1,273	3,855,678	1,266	3,845,420
	Motor ...	124	452,138	108	420,023
	Sailing ...	7	700	9	762
	Total ...	1,404	4,308,516	1,377	4,266,205
Six months ended 31st December, 1928.	Steam ...	1,430	4,150,767	1,410	4,124,869
	Motor ...	68	236,560	56	215,454
	Sailing ...	10	7,979	15	15,530
	Total ...	1,508	4,395,306	1,481	4,355,853

Shipping—Quarter ended 31st December, 1929.—The shipping entered from beyond the State at each port was as follows:—Sydney—vessels 556, tons 1,925,121; Newcastle—vessels 95, tons 215,262; Port Stephens—vessels 1, tons 933; Grafton—vessels 2, tons 1,099; Bellambi—vessels 3, tons 3,115; Port Kembla—vessels 54, tons 134,653; Ballina—vessels 3, tons 87; Clarence River—vessels 1, tons 933. Total—vessels 715, tons 2,231,203.

**No. 17.—Shipping—Oversea and Interstate—Tonnage of Cargo Discharged  
and Shipped at all Ports of New South Wales.**

Period.	Tonnage of Cargo discharged.				Tonnage of Cargo shipped.			
	Sydney.	Newcastle.	Other Ports.	Total.	Sydney.	Newcastle.	Other Ports.	Total.
1928—Oct.—Dec.—	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.
Oversea ...	532,706	30,658	19,650	583,014	379,677	60,352	8,837	448,866
Interstate ...	269,312	246,157	63,438	578,907	179,217	507,793	41,964	728,974
Total ...	802,018	276,815	83,088	1,161,921	558,894	568,145	50,801	1,177,840
1929—Jan.—Mar.—								
Oversea ...	509,138	77,306	3,320	589,764	460,073	247,173	10,862	718,108
Interstate ...	219,639	116,534	66,706	402,879	174,944	313,967	53,586	542,497
Total ...	728,777	193,840	70,026	992,643	635,017	561,140	64,448	1,260,605
1929—Apr.—June—								
Oversea ...	532,364	37,394	14,537	584,295	248,299	7,456	37,746	293,501
Interstate ...	217,924	106,317	52,536	376,777	173,531	146,017	62,695	382,843
Total ...	750,288	143,711	67,073	961,072	421,830	154,073	100,441	676,344
1929—July.—Sep.—								
Oversea ...	568,061	43,264	17,424	628,749	160,683	10,757	41,878	213,318
Interstate ...	275,551	80,263	54,085	409,899	188,055	147,817	99,253	435,725
Total ...	843,612	123,527	71,509	1,038,648	349,338	158,574	141,131	649,043
1929—Sep.—Oct.—								
Oversea ...	554,306	38,795	7,853	600,954	190,563	14,105	21,595	226,263
Interstate ...	258,792	71,898	88,744	419,434	195,012	144,196	103,270	442,478
Total ...	813,098	110,693	96,597	1,020,388	385,575	158,301	124,865	668,741

NOTE.—Cargo recorded by measurement has been converted to tons—40 cubic feet=1 ton.



No. 18.—Consolidated Revenue State—July to December, 1928-9 and 1929-30.

Head of Revenue.*	July to December.		Increase or Decrease (-)
	1928-29.	1929-30.	
<b>Governmental—</b>	£	£	£
Contributions by Commonwealth under States Grants Act	1,397,775	1,458,708	60,933
Taxation (by State) ... ..	2,543,106	3,096,411	553,305
Land Revenue ... ..	640,506	634,912	(-) 5,594
Receipts for Services Rendered ... ..	650,491	687,577	47,086
Miscellaneous Receipts ... ..	621,748	752,973	131,225
Gross Total ... ..	5,853,626	6,640,581	786,955
Refunds ... ..	171,385	126,485	(-) 44,900
Net Total (Governmental) ... ..	5,682,241	6,514,096	831,855
<b>Special Purposes (Revenue) Fund—</b>			
Sale of Crown Lands ... ..	339,486	305,871	(-) 24,615
Royalties on Minerals ... ..	28,505	40,444	11,939
Royalties, etc., on Timber ... ..	45,711	33,437	(-) 12,274
Sales of Property ... ..	7,636	4,785	(-) 2,851
Other Receipts ... ..	.....	7,299	7,299
Gross Total ... ..	412,338	391,836	(-) 20,502
Refunds ... ..	.....	.....	.....
Net Total ... ..	412,338	391,836	(-) 20,502
<b>Grand Total* ...</b>	<b>£ 6,094,579</b>	<b>6,905,932</b>	<b>811,353</b>

\*Based on form of accounts as re-modelled, 1928-29, Business Undertakings being excluded.

No. 19.—State Expenditure—July to December, 1928-9 and 1929-30.

Head of Expenditure.	July to December.		Increase or Decrease (-)
	1928-29.	1929-30.	
<b>Governmental ... ..</b>	<b>£ 7,715,885</b>	<b>8,218,949</b>	<b>503,064</b>
<b>Interest ... ..</b>	<b>5,715,039</b>	<b>1,665,123</b>	<b>(-) 4,049,916</b>
<b>Total ... ..</b>	<b>£ 13,430,924</b>	<b>9,884,072</b>	<b>(-) 3,546,852</b>

No. 20.—Public Debt and Expenditure from Loans, 1919-29.

Year ended 30th June.	Public Debt at end of Year.		Net Expenditure from Loans during Year.					Total Interest Payable.
	Total (in thousands 000 omitted).	Per Head of Population.	Railways and Tramways.	Water Supply and Sewerage (including Water Conservation and Irrigation).	Harbours and Rivers (including Docks, Resumptions, etc.).	Other Works and Services.	Total.	
	£	£ s. d.	£	£	£	£	£	£
1919	147,174	73 13 7	1,543,857	1,027,708	297,304	1,050,018	3,918,887	6,037,196
1920	152,776	73 16 10	2,589,955	2,041,122	444,908	3,718,920	8,794,905	6,563,940
1921	164,336	78 2 5	4,025,038	2,854,495	659,863	7,161,632	14,701,028	7,273,902
1922	176,674	82 3 9	4,789,517	2,744,691	676,642	2,231,882	10,442,732	8,118,430
1923	183,571	83 15 8	4,669,285	2,850,639	451,279	1,822,816	9,794,019	8,535,650
1924	*194,075	87 2 2	3,652,814	2,790,223	379,524	912,919	7,735,480	9,976,809
1925	201,702	88 14 4	4,674,092	2,462,722	615,793	1,423,079	9,175,686	9,835,863
1926	209,793	90 9 1	6,335,943	1,959,255	575,556	2,309,728	11,180,482	10,327,519
1927	†227,724	95 19 11	6,380,610	1,105,618	486,755	2,449,287	10,422,270	11,215,341
1928	245,248	101 3 0	8,335,802	1,710,702	556,011	3,805,104	14,407,619	12,122,008
1929	256,792	104 4 4	6,356,233	1,414,909	851,270	5,626,670	14,249,082	12,722,598

NOTE.—Redemptions of Loans are not included in the Expenditure.

PUBLIC DEBT, 1929.—The amount of the public debt floated in London was £156,875,259, in Sydney £85,879,512, and New York £14,037,173. The amount of interest payable in London was £7,546,033; in Sydney, £4,494,321; in New York, £682,244. The proportion of Public Debt on each Register was: London, 61.1; Sydney, 35.4; New York, 5.5. The average nominal rate of interest payable on the Debt was 4.95 per cent.

The debt shown is exclusive of Closer Settlement Debentures, which amounted to £1,848,650 at 30th June, 1929.  
\* Excluding £16,419,003 raised for renewal of loans which fell due in October, 1924.  
† Excluding £10,886,149, proceeds of conversion loans outstanding, but not credited to loan account.

## No. 21.—Revenue and Expenditure of New South Wales, 1924-29.

Classification.	1923-24.	1924-25.	1925-26.	1926-27.	1927-28.	1928-29.
<b>REVENUE.</b>	£	£	£	£	£	£
<b>Governmental :—</b>						
Commonwealth per capita payment	£ 2,738,725	2,796,928	2,853,850	2,917,411	2,978,343	2,856,479
Taxation—State	£ 7,988,131	†8,115,151	†8,850,877	†11,930,050	†10,725,257	†11,841,136
Land—Alienation	1,016,545	1,061,412	1,077,381	1,043,388	1,102,858	1,139,930
Revenue	913,158	984,756	1,049,038	1,166,889	1,173,464	1,104,641
Total Land	£ 1,929,703	2,046,168	2,126,419	2,210,277	2,276,322	2,244,571
Services (other than Business Undertakings)	£ 1,068,886	1,247,549	1,265,654	1,349,554	1,399,083	1,584,020
Miscellaneous Receipts	1,080,532	1,059,794	1,147,250	1,383,512	1,507,116	2,173,978
Industrial Undertakings	7,655	7,792	5,657	6,195	5,322	3,756
Total Governmental	£ 14,813,632	15,273,382	16,249,707	19,796,999	18,891,443	20,703,940
<b>Business Undertakings :—</b>						
Railways and Tramways	19,508,486	20,624,793	20,985,362	22,980,486	23,894,940	24,873,506a
Sydney Harbour Trust	897,357	970,402	1,015,877	1,083,856	1,078,293	1,103,598a
Metropolitan Board of W. S. and S.	1,857,718	1,694,313	.....	.....	.....	2,716,184a
Hunter District Board of W. S. and S.	199,350	216,752	232,218	245,776	294,306	306,911a
Total Business Undertakings	£ 22,462,911	23,506,260	22,233,457	24,310,118	25,267,539	29,000,199a
Other Receipts (Advances Repaid, etc.)	75,266	42,946	56,867	42,449	39,990	.....
Total Consolidated Revenue Fund	£ 37,351,809	38,822,588	38,540,031	44,149,566	44,198,972	*20,703,940
Motor Tax and Motor Licenses	.....	560,467	897,664	644,278	1,330,399	1,537,598
Metropolitan Water, Sewerage, and Drainage Board	.....	165,993	2,131,471	2,266,909	2,468,001	See above.
Grand Total	£ 37,351,809	39,549,048	41,569,166	47,060,753	47,997,372	51,241,737
<b>EXPENDITURE.</b>						
<b>Governmental :—</b>						
Interest on Public Debt and Special Deposits	2,239,395	3,338,368	2,977,517	3,100,335	3,774,872	3,377,649
Reduction of Public Debt	.....	.....	15,394	37,149	1,968	.....
Transfer to Public Works Fund	351,927	363,528	364,470	376,628	390,047	.....
Departments—						
Premier	84,733	84,596	73,658	122,370	136,747	262,196
Chief Secretary and Public Health (including Lunacy)	2,726,866	2,735,871	2,967,648	3,046,290	3,395,244	3,756,245
Treasurer (ex Business Undertakings, & Interest on Deposits, etc.)	1,050,216	1,152,633	1,038,134	1,044,481	1,103,556	2,069,134
Attorney-General and Justice	639,301	676,832	709,565	748,121	652,142	873,788
Lands	569,296	560,862	542,744	545,924	467,770	466,834
Public Works (ex Business Undertakings)	718,095	708,025	724,365	803,280	787,277	700,547
Public Instruction (ex Endowments, etc.)	4,000,324	4,212,158	4,364,431	4,607,571	4,846,451	5,130,684
Labour and Industry	107,831	111,574	110,571	389,165	140,229	112,646
Mines	91,107	94,206	112,904	103,525	182,626	186,143
Agriculture	497,967	562,221	586,983	587,728	601,280	737,002
Local Government—						
Administration, etc.	42,538	44,690	47,884	56,392	62,044	66,355
Endowments and Grants	306,514	286,851	274,886	157,778	372,725	336,734
All other Services	1,182,067	1,694,322	1,470,319	1,795,340	2,131,910	2,034,814
Total, Governmental	£ 14,608,177	16,626,737	16,381,473	17,524,077	19,046,888	20,110,771
<b>Business Undertakings, including Interest on Capital :—</b>						
Railways and Tramways	19,435,742	20,447,734	22,200,838	23,855,608	25,038,963	25,922,235a
Water Supply and Sewerage	1,841,883	1,469,861	175,704	202,881	224,709	296,164a
Sydney Harbour Trust	757,233	756,799	794,106	824,885	875,058	983,104a
Total, Business Undertakings	£ 22,034,858	22,674,394	23,170,648	24,883,374	26,138,730	27,201,503a
Grants to Public Works Fund	200,000	200,000	200,000	225,000	60,000	.....
Other Payments (Advances made, etc.)	408,384	77,907	62,214	58,183	48,350	.....
Total Consolidated Revenue Fund	£ 37,251,419	39,579,038	39,814,335	42,690,634	45,293,968	*20,110,771
Metropolitan Water Board—Working Expenses	.....	**197,278	**908,401	**946,504	**1,033,396	**966,933
Interest on Capital	.....	.....	†1,200,000	†1,200,000	†1,200,000	†1,250,000
Motor Taxes paid to Main Roads Board	.....	560,467	897,664	644,278	1,330,399	1,537,598
Grand Total	£ 37,251,419	40,336,783	42,820,400	45,481,416	48,857,763	51,066,806

\*\* Including Sinking Fund and Renewals.

† See also Motor Tax and Motor Licenses below.

† Exclusive of interest paid to Consolidated Revenue Account, £49,847 in 1925-26, £211,107 in 1926-27, £193,803 in 1927-28 and £185,079 in 1928-29.

\* Totals not comparable with previous years.

Metropolitan Water Board excluded from Consolidated Revenue from 1-4-25 other Business Undertakings from 1-7-28.

a Not included in total Consolidated Revenue.

No. 22.—Revenue and Expenditure, per head, 1919-29.

Governmental.

Year ended 30th June.	Revenue.†					Expenditure.†				
	Taxation.	Returned by Commonwealth	Land Revenue.	Other Revenue.	Total.	Public Instruction, excluding Endowments.	Interest and Sinking Funds.	Other Services.	Total.	
	*									
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
1919	2 1 7	1 4 3	0 18 6	11 5	4 15 9	1 3 1	0 9 11	3 0 10	4 13 10	
1920	2 8 8	1 4 3	0 18 10	13 1	5 4 10	1 4 6	0 10 6	4 3 8	5 18 8	
1921	3 10 9	1 4 3	1 0 7	14 3	6 9 10	1 15 4	0 15 8	4 3 1	6 14 1	
1922	3 8 2	1 4 9	0 18 10	18 11	6 10 8	1 18 4	0 15 1	4 10 4	7 3 9	
1923	3 11 9	1 4 9	0 17 8	18 3	6 12 5	1 16 3	0 16 10	3 16 6	6 9 7	
1924	3 12 4	1 4 9	0 17 6	20 2	6 14 9	1 16 3	1 0 3	4 1 2	6 17 8	
1925	3 12 0	1 4 10	0 18 2	21 0	6 16 0	1 17 5	1 9 7	4 3 1	7 10 1	
1926	3 17 0	1 4 10	0 18 6	21 7	7 1 11	1 18 10	1 6 0	4 0 0	7 4 10	
1927	5 1 8	1 4 10	0 18 10	23 8	8 9 0	1 19 3	1 6 9	4 5 8	7 11 8	
1928	4 9 4	1 4 10	0 18 11	24 7	7 17 8	2 0 5	1 11 5	4 7 9	7 19 7	
1929	4 16 9	1 3 4	0 18 4	30 9	8 9 2	2 1 11	1 7 7	4 14 10	8 4 4	

\* In 1925 Motor Tax and Traffic Licenses were transferred to Special Deposits Account, Main Roads Account.  
† See table 21 for actual revenue and expenditure.

No. 23.—Revenue and Expenditure, per head, 1919-29.

Business Undertakings.

Year ended 30th June.	Revenue.†				Expenditure.†			
	Railways and Tramways.	Water and Sewerage.	Sydney Harbour Trust.	Total.	Railways and Tramways.*	Water and Sewerage.*	Sydney Harbour Trust.*	Total.
	£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.
1919	6 3 11	12 6	5 4	7 2 9	6 5 9	11 6	5 2	7 2 5
1920	7 16 11	12 10	6 6	8 16 3	7 18 6	13 5	5 9	8 17 8
1921	8 12 8	15 6	7 7	9 15 9	8 15 0	14 7	6 2	9 15 9
1922	8 19 11	16 7	7 9	10 4 3	9 1 2	15 10	6 8	10 3 8
1923	8 15 8	16 9	7 10	10 0 3	8 12 11	16 0	6 9	9 15 8
1924	8 16 6	18 7	8 2	10 3 3	8 15 11	16 8	6 10	9 19 5
1925	9 3 1	16 11	8 10	10 8 7	9 1 6	13 1	6 8	10 1 3
1926	9 2 8	2 0	8 10	9 13 6	9 13 3	1 6	6 11	10 1 8
1927	9 15 9	2 1	9 3	10 7 1	10 3 3	1 9	7 0	10 12 0
1928	9 19 1	2 5	9 0	10 10 6	10 8 7	1 11	7 3	10 17 9
1929	10 3 3	2 6	9 0	10 14 9	10 11 10	2 5	8 0	11 2 3

\* Includes payment of interest on capital expenditure.  
† See Table No. 21 for actual revenue and expenditure.

No. 24.—Trading Banks—Liabilities in New South Wales.

NOTE.—Liabilities to Shareholders are not included.

Quarter ended	Notes in Circulation.	Bills in Circulation.	Deposits.			Balances due to other Banks.	All other Liabilities.	Total Liabilities.
			Not bearing Interest.	Bearing Interest.	Total.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
June.								
1920	73,266	960,586	52,878,126	50,495,134	103,373,260	1,601,687	...	106,008,799
1921	71,654	979,076	53,044,965	54,631,451	107,676,416	2,682,336	...	111,409,482
1922	68,953	965,186	52,276,678	54,086,297	106,362,975	1,541,923	...	108,943,037
1923	67,556	1,046,579	54,005,932	62,163,919	116,169,851	1,050,955	...	118,334,941
1924	66,580	1,103,220	53,655,365	58,164,886	111,820,251	1,328,516	...	114,318,567
1925	65,724	1,206,787	55,771,102	65,139,919	120,911,021	2,587,518	336,296	125,139,547
1926	64,990	1,354,516	59,255,212	70,956,687	130,211,899	3,628,290	349,669	135,609,364
1927	64,681	1,331,637	56,468,226	76,067,917	132,536,143	3,479,900	313,034	137,725,395
1928	64,398	1,508,580	55,357,004	83,155,876	138,512,880	4,153,823	298,071	144,627,752
1929	64,115	1,746,319	56,283,642	178,040,307	134,323,949	4,807,230	292,315	141,233,928
Dec. Qr. 1929	63,957	1,780,566	50,078,244	179,993,028	130,071,272	3,203,264	289,238	135,408,297
" " 1928	64,203	1,857,272	55,255,882	174,832,332	130,088,214	4,899,026	296,760	137,205,475

\* Includes Commonwealth Savings Bank deposits to 30th June, 1928, included under the returns of Savings Banks—Table No. 26. The amount so included on 30th September, 1927, was £10,492,524, and on 30th June, 1928, £10,434,395. Interest is not paid on the whole of these amounts.

† Commonwealth Bank Savings Bank deposits previously included are now excluded.

Note.—There are 16 Trading Banks in New South Wales, with 1,187 offices in the State, including 7 in the Federal Capital Territory.

## No. 25.—Trading Banks—Assets in New South Wales.

Quarter ended	Coin.	Bullion.	Australian Notes.	Landed and House Property.	Notes and Bills of other Banks.	Balances due from other Banks.	Government and Municipal Securities Advances and all other Assets.	Total Assets.
June.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1920	10,111,791	340,735	13,032,195	2,477,601	892,521	3,354,448	89,063,144	119,272,435
1921	9,791,211	360,738	11,812,417	2,573,628	673,740	2,512,885	104,709,314	132,433,933
1922	10,282,955	335,043	10,176,664	2,620,237	792,442	2,832,745	98,335,071	125,375,157
1923	9,917,391	362,257	10,055,027	2,780,285	857,716	2,856,046	113,053,795	139,882,517
1924	11,321,692	389,420	12,111,578	2,960,035	887,317	4,117,438	112,873,479	144,660,950
1925	13,325,015	3,352,615	13,409,010	3,026,704	915,855	3,449,510	111,475,369	148,954,078
1926	16,336,946	74,851	14,362,800	3,112,343	984,258	2,939,786	123,950,187	161,761,171
1927	12,238,342	5,455	10,762,818	3,025,719	1,426,517	3,386,552	135,439,590	166,284,993
1928	12,126,723	5,425	10,374,870	2,987,197	1,394,478	3,362,486	140,690,523	170,941,702
1929	11,978,374	5,746	11,046,465	3,187,582	705,074	3,082,901	143,822,569	173,828,711
Dec. Qr. 1929	11,200,219	5,437	9,506,147	3,352,618	887,481	2,394,799	†152,704,521	180,051,222
„ „ 1928	12,029,797	5,845	12,402,737	3,048,442	729,579	2,585,039	139,219,922	170,021,363

\* Since December, 1924, includes coin with Commonwealth Bank.

† Includes £1,765,385 short term loans in Australia.

## Trading Banks' Exchange Settlement, Sydney.

Year ended 31st December...		1925.	1926.	1927.	1928.
		£909,114,483	£954,253,166	£1,034,894,890	£1,033,511,119
Month, 1928.	£	Month, 1928.	£	Month, 1929.	£
January ...	85,908,937	July ...	81,843,516	January ...	86,174,101
February ...	88,528,403	August ...	82,389,833	February ...	88,116,614
March ...	92,497,803	September ...	83,907,154	March ...	89,834,973
April ...	74,969,922	October ...	92,487,814	April ...	89,691,502
May ...	90,287,089	November ...	88,243,592	May ...	89,723,757
June ...	82,494,943	December ...	89,952,111	June ...	84,766,013
	514,687,097		518,824,020		528,306,960
					515,017,653

## No. 26.—Savings Banks in New South Wales.

At 30th June.	Accounts on 30th June.	Amount of Deposits on 30th June.	Increase in Deposits during year.	Amount Deposited on 30th June.	
				Per Account.	Per Inhabitant.
	No.	£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1920	1,053,893	49,933,535	2,863,193	47 7 9	24 2 8
1921	1,126,157	57,394,441	7,460,906	50 19 4	27 5 8
1922	1,186,948	61,791,273	4,396,832	52 1 2	28 14 11
1923	1,246,191	64,324,669	2,533,396	51 12 4	29 7 2
1924	1,306,948	66,162,054	1,837,385	50 12 5	29 13 10
1925	1,374,976	69,114,126	2,952,072	50 5 4	30 8 3
1926	1,446,432	73,743,112	4,628,986	50 19 8	31 15 11
1927	1,528,287	78,250,745	4,507,633	51 4 0	32 19 9
1928	1,599,007	81,493,879	3,243,134	50 19 4	33 12 2
1929	1,685,181	85,558,134	4,064,255	50 15 5	34 14 6
*30th Sept. 1929	1,706,038	85,532,867	(—) 25,267†	50 2 8	34 12 3

Note.—The table is exclusive of the Federal Capital Territory (Canberra). Accounts and deposits in the School Savings Bank Department (Government Savings Bank of New South Wales) are excluded, particulars being as follows:—At 30th Sept, 1929, —Accounts, No. 127,817; Amount of Deposits, £195,093. At 30th Sept., 1929, the number of inoperative accounts included in respect of the State Savings Bank was 291,786; Amount of Deposits, £55,269.

\* Information at end of quarter.

† Movement for 3 months.



## No. 27.—Education.

Year.	Public Schools.				Private Schools.		
	Schools.	Teachers.	Scholars (December Quarter).	Expenditure by State.	Schools.	Teachers.	Scholars (December Quarter).
				£			
1919	3,124	9,002	288,931	2,270,249	678	3,844	74,936
1920	3,103	9,204	299,691	3,078,906	679	3,810	74,339
1921	3,216	9,594	315,228	3,557,040	677	4,069	78,460
1922	3,213	9,817	321,531	3,733,832	678	4,092	80,247
1923	3,243	10,066	328,248	3,838,711	681	4,181	80,723
1924	3,259	10,400	333,074	4,114,355	693	4,200	82,545
1925	3,216	10,777	336,810	4,197,033	696	4,243	82,188
1926	3,179	11,313	343,187	4,326,365	704	4,320	83,784
1927	3,142	11,550	352,310	4,470,634*	713	4,558	86,084
1928	3,156	12,002	362,549	5,061,118*	721	4,582	87,630

\*Inclusive of Grants in aid of Public Institutions, Rates and Stores.

TECHNICAL EDUCATION.—The enrolment at Technical Colleges during the year 1928 was 32,960.

BUSINESS COLLEGES, ETC.—The enrolment at business colleges and shorthand schools in 1928 was 7,878.

UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY.—Individual Students attending the University during 1928 numbered 2,382 (1,731 males, and 651 females).

## No. 28.—State Railways of New South Wales.

Year ended 30th June.	Miles open for traffic.	Capital Cost.	Excess of Earnings over Working Expenses.	Train Miles.	Net Earnings per train mile.	Passengers.
	No.	£	£	No.	s. d.	No.
1919	4,824	76,601,591	3,053,723	19,935,202	3 3½	98,568,768
1920	5,015	79,318,917	3,512,863	22,834,889	3 1	114,654,660
1921	5,043	82,304,194	3,231,528	22,792,053	2 10	120,735,140
1922	5,116	85,552,871	4,096,717	21,887,065	3 9	121,298,861
1923	5,318	89,276,871	4,571,359	21,693,861	4 2½	123,714,639
1924	5,523	93,355,167	4,699,086	21,582,779	4 4½	128,101,184
1925	5,656	99,623,210	4,829,766	23,304,916	4 1½	128,532,038
1926	5,742	105,237,668	4,419,039	24,624,995	3 7	130,725,581
1927	5,750	112,789,149	5,110,690	26,323,847	3 10½	141,615,806
1928	5,867	117,084,374	4,273,185	26,896,580	3 2	148,046,881
1929	5,940	124,329,422	4,637,566	27,382,124	3 4½	151,116,086
Sept., 1929	5,940	*124,329,422	926,085	6,878,560	2 8½	38,400,813
Sept., 1928	5,867	*117,984,374	1,178,593	6,709,957	3 6½	37,897,693

\* Figures for past year ended 30th June.

## No. 29.—State Tramways of New South Wales.

Year ended 30th June.	Miles open for traffic.	Capital Cost.	Excess of Earnings over Working Expenses.	Tram Mileage.	Net earnings per tram mile.	Passengers.
	No.	£	£	No.	s. d.	No.
1919	225	8,568,138	386,977	24,674,306	0 3½	268,797,814
1920	226	8,768,548	395,676	26,889,077	0 3½	324,884,651
1921	227	9,060,757	528,486	28,654,172	0 4½	337,689,873
1922	229	9,505,732	594,519	29,318,532	0 4½	339,938,567
1923	225	9,975,031	505,808	30,071,022	0 4	331,001,822
1924	228	10,758,958	542,385	32,110,954	0 4	340,957,725
1925	229	11,131,454	444,410	33,761,796	0 3½	339,576,776
1926	229	11,434,523	299,500	34,214,733	0 2½	339,411,705
1927	210	11,586,050	318,264	34,188,015	0 2½	347,231,141
1928	210	11,609,078	619,205	34,471,601	0 4½	346,013,775
1929	211	11,743,189	622,246	34,081,498	0 4½	333,476,049
Sept., 1929	211	*11,743,189	81,799	8,212,096	0 2½	76,393,676
Sept., 1928	210	*11,600,078	1,6016	8,521,821	0 5	83,475,627

\* Figures for past year ended 30th June

## No. 30.—Motor Vehicles.

Registrations and Licenses.	In force at 31st December.			Registrations and Licenses.	Year ended 31st December.		
	1921.	1922.	1923.		1921.	1922.	1923.
Registrations—				Licenses (contd.)—			
Cars ... ..	28,665	155,403	170,039	Learner's permit	10,757	70,456	66,208
Lorries ... ..	3,524	37,129	42,594	Receipts (taxes, fees, and penalties)—	£	£	£
Cycles ... ..	11,291	30,882	30,655	Motor Traffic Act ...	51,712	374,942	411,572
Taxi-Cabs ... ..	407	1,173	1,304	Motor Vehicles Taxation Act ... ..	131,025	1,246,424	1,386,565
Vans ... ..	376	2,126	2,274	Metropolitan Traffic Act	4,834	9,621	10,595
Omnibuses ... ..	180	505	612	Total ... ..	187,571	1,630,987	1,808,732
Licenses—							
Driver ... ..	52,538	273,238	304,309				
Cycle Rider ... ..	16,115	36,780	36,784				
Omnibus Conductors ...	200	1,081	1,077				

## No. 31.—Posts, Telegraphs, and Telephones.

Year ended 30th June.	Post Offices and Receiving Offices.	Letters, Letter Cards, Post Cards, and all Registered Articles except Parcels carried.	Newspapers carried.	Packets, Books, and Parcels carried.	Telegrams and Cablegrams transmitted.	Telephone Line Connections.
1919	2,599	240,591,473	63,367,875	25,864,897	7,936,453	65,734
1920	2,593	256,062,161	61,407,862	22,993,171	9,044,098	70,700
1921	2,609	262,025,990	63,261,430	24,538,793	8,585,835	74,490
1922	2,588	240,088,479	66,381,106	24,951,225	8,115,582	80,262
1923	2,599	254,196,263	66,647,379	34,569,781	8,138,901	87,598
1924	2,643	270,314,915	71,799,747	51,735,560	8,608,127	97,310
1925	2,664	296,399,293	72,711,100	56,300,600	*6,936,885	107,497
1926	2,679	318,832,176	73,802,200	65,101,000	*7,351,845	117,249
1927	2,682	352,038,712	81,395,900	66,164,500	*7,240,075	127,784
1928	2,683	†	†	†	7,090,157	137,602

\* Exclusive of telegrams received from other States of the Commonwealth. † Not available pending an investigation by the Postmaster General.

## No. 32.—Aircraft in New South Wales.

Particulars.	Year ended 30th June.				
	1925.	1926.	1927.	1928.	1929.
Aircraft owners registered ...	4	4	9	14	39
Aeroplanes ...	5	6	10	18	53
Staff employed—Pilots	3	3	5	11	*141
Others ...	3	2	6	11	.....
† Flights—Number ...	721	347	5,897	35,829	51,301
Hours ...	277	201	1,593	5,469	10,480
Mileage (approximate)	19,915	13,742	109,880	375,055	758,246
Passengers carried ...	1,073	411	5,337	20,995	29,110
Goods carried ...	.....	.....	550 lb.	645 lb.	448 lb.

NOTE.—In New South Wales aerial mails are carried under a contract for a service between Adelaide, Cootamundra, via Mildura, Hay, and Narrandera (578 miles), service once weekly in each direction; (a) Broken Hill-Mildura (189 miles), weekly; (b) Melbourne-Hay, via Echuca (233 miles), weekly.

\* Licensed Pilots. Includes 96 private licenses and 45 commercial.

† The great majority of the trips are pleasure trips, and of short duration.

## No. 33.—Wireless Licenses Issued and Radio Traffic, New South Wales.

Class of License.	Year ended 30th June.			Class of License.	Year ended 30th June.		
	1926.	1927.	1928.		1926.	1927.	1928.
	No.	No.	No.		£	£	£
Coast ... ..	1	1	1	Total Fees received*	49,070	82,143	109,705
Ship ... ..	32	32	24	* The amount due to Revenue included in this amount in 1925-26 was £5,593, and in 1926-27 £9,415.			
Land ... ..	.....	4	4				
Broadcasting ...	"A" 2, "B" 7	"A" 2, "B" 7	"A" 2, "B" 7				
Broadcast Listeners—							
Ordinary ...	36,292	56,908	79,931				
Special ...	9	46	†				
Temporary ...	8	41	†				
Experimental—							
Transmitting and receiving ...	124	134	140	Coastal Radio Service—	No.	No.	No.
Receiving only ...	185	149	126	Paying messages	23,538	33,696	36,613
Dealers' Listening ...	472	860	.....	" words...	288,288	420,794	683,783
Portable ...	.....	5	6	Service messages	566	427	1,441
Special... ..	.....	.....	16	" words ...	.....	4,131	15,938
Total Licenses issued	37,132	58,189	80,257	Weather messages	4,313	3,162	5,253
				" words ...	.....	60,801	105,565

† Grade discontinued.

## No. 34.—Area under Crop.

Season ended June.	Wheat (grain only).	Maize (grain only).	Oats (grain only).	Sugar-cane Cut for Crushing.	Hay.	Vines. Wine-making.	Potatoes.	Total Area under Crop.*
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
1918	3,329,371	145,754	82,591	5,588	620,644	3,839	22,580	4,460,701
1919	2,409,669	114,582	86,474	4,566	814,960	3,961	20,879	3,890,844
1920	1,474,174	136,509	76,117	4,827	938,400	4,233	20,043	3,770,155
1921	3,127,377	144,105	77,709	5,519	854,263	4,539	27,673	4,464,342
1922	3,194,949	146,687	69,795	5,400	750,928	4,818	29,494	4,445,848
1923	2,942,857	138,169	74,006	5,879	889,457	5,396	22,568	4,694,088
1924	2,945,335	166,974	86,693	6,733	1,023,717	6,548	21,879	4,808,046
1925	3,550,078	146,564	123,517	7,761	763,287	6,958	23,403	4,911,148
1926	2,925,012	120,955	101,097	8,688	750,605	6,977	22,731	4,541,423
1927	3,352,736	128,516	105,115	10,128	625,616	7,051	21,941	4,595,711
1928	3,029,950	148,801	114,988	8,556	680,919	7,456	21,578	4,994,515

SEASON 1928-29.—The estimated area under wheat was 4,470,100 acres; of which 3,863,030 acres were harvested for grain, 364,090 for hay, 226,580 acres failed, and 16,400 acres were profitably fed off.

\* Exclusive of area double cropped.

## No. 35.—Production of Crops.

Season ended June.	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Sugar-cane.	Hay.	Wine.	Potatoes.	Total value of Crops (to Producers)
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	tons.	tons.	gallons.	tons.	£
1918	37,712,000	3,499,960	1,455,111	174,881	784,206	538,210	49,984	13,684,900
1919	18,325,000	2,091,921	1,273,752	105,234	753,630	555,770	30,356	12,280,190
1920	4,388,000	4,052,025	586,758	91,321	580,586	717,893	49,986	13,582,090
1921	55,625,000	4,176,000	1,642,700	131,313	1,374,656	674,188	63,256	32,372,550
1922	42,767,000	3,976,300	1,169,900	149,474	1,029,372	627,105	57,835	20,260,770
1923	28,668,000	3,287,500	1,250,800	147,992	1,060,979	771,206	35,726	21,300,860
1924	33,176,000	4,623,000	1,570,300	132,084	1,173,047	1,459,778	61,079	20,555,740
1925	59,767,000	4,208,200	2,511,400	228,978	1,157,566	1,171,336	57,274	28,784,820
1926	33,806,000	3,278,350	1,615,650	297,335	866,275	1,240,893	43,137	20,740,960
1927	47,541,000	3,598,530	1,898,750	230,254	877,767	1,625,507	53,288	22,098,100
1928	27,042,000	3,930,570	1,654,560	208,612	754,176	2,295,030*	47,397	17,018,170

SEASON 1928-29.—The estimated production of wheat was 49,182,000 bushels, and the yield of wheat hay, 392,790 tons.

\* Not wholly the produce of area under vines shown above.

## No. 36.—Average Yield per acre of Crops.

Season ended June.	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Sugar-cane.	Hay.	Wine.	Potatoes.	Value per acre of all Crops
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	tons.	tons.	gallons.	tons.	£ s. d.
1918	11'3	24'0	17'6	31'30	1'26	140	2'21	3 1 4
1919	7'6	18'3	14'7	23'05	0'92	140	1'45	3 3 1
1920	3'0	29'7	7'7	18'92	0'62	170	2'49	3 12 1
1921	17'8	29'0	21'1	23'79	1'61	147	2'29	7 5 0
1922	13'4	27'1	16'8	27'68	1'37	145	1'96	4 11 2
1923	9'7	23'8	16'9	25'17	1'19	168	1'58	4 10 9
1924	11'3	27'7	18'1	19'62	1'15	223	2'79	4 5 6
1925	16'8	28'7	20'3	29'50	1'52	168	2'45	5 17 3
1926	11'6	27'1	16'0	34'20	1'15	178	1'90	4 11 4
1927	14'2	28'0	18'1	22'73	1'40	230	2'43	4 16 2
1928	8'9	26'4	14'4	24'40	1'11	†	2'20	3 8 2
Average for 10 years (1919-1928)	12'1	26'7	16'6	25'31	1'19	†	2'15	4 12 8

The estimate average yield of wheat for grain per acre was 8'9 bushels in 1927-28 and 12'1 bushels in 1928-29.

NOTE.—The figures in the above Tables (34, 35, 36) exclude Federal Territory since 1st July, 1927.

† Not available. See note to Table No. 35.

## No. 37.—Live Stock.

Period, 30th June.	Horses.	Cattle.			Sheep.	Swine.
		Dairy Cows. (See Note.)	All other.	Total.		
1917	733,791	1,022,297	1,743,646	2,765,943	40,090,000	359,763
1918	742,247	1,066,089	2,095,628	3,161,717	42,520,000	399,157
1919	722,723	970,448	2,310,228	3,280,676	42,170,000	294,648
1920	662,264	903,023	2,181,309	3,084,332	33,150,000	253,910
1921	663,178	941,742	2,433,525	3,375,267	37,750,000	306,253
1922	669,800	974,087	2,572,443	3,546,530	41,070,000	383,669
1923	660,031	958,287	2,292,893	3,251,180	38,760,000	340,853
1924	658,372	949,135	1,989,387	2,938,522	41,440,000	323,196
1925	647,503	982,850	1,893,404	2,876,254	47,100,000	339,669
1926	651,035	984,501	1,952,629	2,937,130	53,860,000	382,674
1927	623,392	992,419	1,826,234	2,818,653	55,930,000	332,921
1928	598,377	1,002,837	1,845,817	2,848,654	50,510,000	301,819

The number of sheep in the State at 31st December, 1928, was 52,700,000.

NOTE.—Reference should be made to the "Statistical Register of New South Wales" as to classification of dairy cows and complete information for all years regarding Live Stock.

## No. 38.—Production—Pastoral and Dairying.

Year ended 30th June.	Wool. (as in the grease).	Butter.	Cheese.	Bacon and Ham.
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
1918	322,855,000	80,468,007	7,799,676	18,555,144
1919	340,953,000	66,008,958	5,982,120	16,801,666
1920	352,071,000	63,135,000	6,762,467	16,669,598
1921	275,269,000	84,268,041	6,407,209	16,257,242
1922	333,856,000	100,672,581	7,367,057	20,422,870
1923	336,899,000	73,723,597	5,198,905	19,245,866
1924	303,232,000	72,684,093	5,912,656	19,052,109
1925	369,118,000	117,211,347	7,795,596	21,076,796
1926	402,490,000	106,967,661	6,462,535	22,958,371
1927	499,322,000	96,551,738	6,735,960	24,603,065
1928	443,860,000	101,595,358	7,284,622	25,479,208
1929	482,920,000	†	†	†

† Not available.

## BUTTER PRODUCTION IN FACTORIES during each month, 1923-29 :—

	1923 lb.	1924 lb.	1925 lb.	1926 lb.	1927 lb.	1928 lb.	1929 lb.
January .....	8,981,492	8,107,469	14,134,886	13,075,881	11,466,164	12,402,055	8,483,341
February .....	6,492,525	8,775,135	13,003,966	10,100,676	11,077,760	11,793,900	9,784,653
March .....	6,341,489	8,881,712	12,816,868	8,492,545	10,346,911	11,619,637	12,090,112
April .....	5,075,733	7,081,383	10,197,710	8,679,362	8,357,424	9,692,439	10,273,146
May .....	4,368,068	5,863,285	7,349,965	7,246,991	6,659,143	7,812,714	7,780,453
June .....	3,214,353	4,177,577	5,437,561	5,058,736	4,615,468	5,231,650	5,087,437
July .....	2,501,809	3,448,909	4,090,763	4,958,267	3,833,528	4,135,912	4,475,401
August .....	2,524,631	4,090,458	4,932,319	5,462,144	3,752,986	4,630,912	4,177,526
September .....	3,634,173	6,612,609	6,839,475	6,623,227	3,788,843	6,086,264	5,654,839
October .....	3,735,925	9,059,460	8,704,735	8,298,663	5,827,304	8,250,250	8,619,999
November .....	5,937,792	11,301,933	10,737,251	7,431,828	8,953,118	7,808,092	10,933,161*
December .....	5,145,417	14,642,577	12,946,279	6,688,687	12,009,976	7,335,612	10,152,558

\* Subject to revision.

## No. 39.—Average Wholesale Prices in Sydney of N.S.W. Agricultural and Dairy Produce—Monthly.

Article.	September Quarter, 1929.			December Quarter, 1929.			December Quarter, 1928.		
	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
Wheat (Milling) .. per bus.	s. d. 5 1'9	s. d. 5 4'1	s. d. 5 5'3	s. d. 5 3'3	s. d. 5 0'4	s. d. 5 2'8	s. d. 4 7'9	s. d. 4 8	s. d. 4 7'6
Flour (in 150-lb. bags) .. per ton	£ s. d. 12 8 6	£ s. d. 13 3 2	£ s. d. 12 16 11	£ s. d. 13 4 1	£ s. d. 12 15 0	£ s. d. 12 15 0	£ s. d. 12 0 11	£ s. d. 11 15 0	£ s. d. 11 2 4
Bran .. .. per bus.	17-87	18-06	18-09	19-20	18-74	18-00	16-42	14-86	15-0
Pollard .. .. per bus.	19-20	18-06	18-09	19-20	20-68	21-60	16-42	14-86	15-0
Oats .. .. per bus.	s. d. 3 7'2	s. d. 3 11'6	s. d. 3 11'9	s. d. 3 9	s. d. 3 4'1	s. d. 3 3'2	s. d. 4 8'3	s. d. 4 8	s. d. 4 8'3
Maize .. .. per bus.	5 6'4	5 7	5 10	5 6	5 11	6 5	4 6	4 8	4 8
Hay (Oaten) .. per ton	£ s. d. 7 11 7	£ s. d. 7 15 6	£ s. d. 8 3 7	£ s. d. 9 3 4	£ s. d. 8 17 9	£ s. d. 7 13 2	£ s. d. 6 8 1	£ s. d. 6 17 3	£ s. d. 6 13 10
Potatoes (Local) .. per ton	17 0 3	17 13 7	19 3 6	24 2 11	21 12 4	9 5 7	7 13 11	8 3 6	11 9 9
Butter (choicest) .. per lb.	22-00	22-00	22-00	22-00	20-81	20-37	20-85	20-66	21-57
Cheese (prime) .. ..	15-32	13-73	12-28	11-75	10-98	9-84	10-80	10-55	10-40
Bacon (sides) .. ..	12-21	12-26	12-97	13-64	13-95	13-90	14-60	13-88	13-86
Lard (bulk) .. ..	9-00	9-00	10-61	10-70	10-42	10-00	9-47	9-00	9-00
Eggs (Norths and Souths) per doz.	s. d. 1 7	s. d. 1 3'1	s. d. 1 1	s. d. 1 1	s. d. 1 1'1	s. d. 1 1'8	s. d. 1 1'3	s. d. 1 1'3	s. d. 1 1'3
„ (new laid) .. ..	1 10	1 6'2	1 4	1 4	1 4'4	1 6	1 6	1 6	1 6

\* No Quotations.

† Tasmanian



## No. 40.—Minerals Won in New South Wales, 1927 and 1928.

Minerals.	1927.		1928.		Total Value up to end of Year 1928.†
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	
		£		£	£
Gold ... .. oz. fine	18,032	76,595	12,831	54,503	63,635,957
Silver—Ingots and Matte oz	5,341	534	8,573	936	6,103,274
Silver—Lead, Ore, Concentrates, etc. ... ton	290,259	3,487,446	247,847	2,491,153	102,357,845
Lead—Pig, etc. ... .. „	...	...	...	...	6,442,397
Zinc Concentrates ... .. „	277,425	996,877	314,864	1,118,541	22,061,937
Tin Ingots and Ore ... .. „	1,030	287,539	1,020	231,843	14,197,520
Copper, Ingots, Matte, and Ore ... .. „	376	12,655	55	3,497	15,556,451
Silica ... .. „	12,703	8,987	25,274	8,881	222,104
Manganese Ore ... .. „	1,202	4,285	167	568	77,813
Coal ... .. „	11,126,114	9,782,002	9,448,197	8,263,729	178,435,160
Iron (from local ores) ... „	118,951	654,230	56,776	312,263	8,891,865
Shale (oil) ... .. „	...	...	...	...	2,692,710
Limestone Flux ... .. „	119,094	44,660	79,846	29,942	1,176,384
Opal (Noble) ... .. „	...	13,353	...	11,000	1,585,762
All other Minerals ... .. „	...	1,679,207	...	1,836,708	7,110,440
Total ... .. £	...	17,048,370	...	14,363,569	430,546,619
Other:—					
Iron made from scrap ... ..	...	...	...	...	1,416,030
Portland Cement* ton	425,808	1,761,210	408,943	1,718,527	15,567,467
Lime ... .. „	39,905	115,191	44,609	122,936	1,483,032
Coke* ... .. „	709,342	1,131,335	520,201	852,739	12,998,553

\* Quantity manufactured and value.

† Includes quantity exported (only) up to the end of 1899.

‡ Up to the end of 1924, production was only recorded in respect of quarries, etc., held under mining title. All quarries are now included.

## No. 41.—Factories, 1921-28.

Year ended 30th June.	Establishments.	Persons Engaged (including Working Proprietors).			Value of Plant and Machinery.	Salaries and Wages Paid, exclusive of drawings by Working Proprietors.	Total Value of Output.
		Males.	Females.	Total.			
	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£
1921	5,837	112,187	32,824	145,011	31,115,444	25,618,591	137,841,386
1922	6,356	112,362	36,514	148,876	35,229,530	26,783,242	132,820,065
1923	6,703	115,287	37,299	152,586	37,579,386	27,135,647	132,853,608
1924	7,321	121,845	37,829	159,674	41,141,890	29,772,994	146,359,260
1925	7,906	126,496	39,264	165,760	43,553,900	31,520,849	159,668,873
1926	8,196	132,239	41,862	174,101	45,994,534	33,566,546	169,663,146
1927	8,222	138,319	44,884	183,193	48,659,375	37,092,196	179,302,446
1928	8,362	137,936	44,724	182,660	50,489,674	*37,818,141	181,403,084

\* Of this amount males received £32,929,659 and females £4,888,482.

NOTE.—For return of principal articles manufactured during the years 1927 and 1928, see Table No. 14.

## No. 42.—Value of Production—Principal Industries—1918-28.

The following figures represent the estimated Value of Production from the various Industries at the place of production.

(In thousands, 000 omitted.)

Primary Industries.								Manufacturing Industry.	Total All Industries.
Year ended 30th June.	Rural Industries.				Forests, Fisheries, and Trapping.	Mining Industry.	Total Primary Industries.		
	Pastoral.	Agricultural.	Dairying and Farm-yard.	Total Rural Industries.					
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1918	32,415	13,685	10,635	56,735	3,737	10,493	70,965	29,500	100,465
1919	34,750	12,280	11,073	58,103	3,708	7,805	69,616	32,768	102,384
1920	40,335	13,582	11,793	65,710	7,760	9,650	83,120	39,314	122,434
1921	20,336	32,373	16,447	69,156	4,089	10,192	83,437	43,128	126,565
1922	25,020	20,261	12,914	58,195	3,628	9,666	71,489	46,746	118,235
1923	36,783	21,301	13,445	71,529	4,810	10,419	86,758	51,596	138,354
1924	39,775	20,556	12,327	72,658	4,204	11,845	88,707	55,661	144,368
1925	46,028	28,785	14,336	89,149	5,039	11,785	105,973	59,044	165,017
1926	42,369	20,741	14,712	77,822	5,609	12,346*	95,777	64,838	160,615
1927	47,822	22,098	14,591	84,511	6,147	12,352*	103,010	69,849	172,859
1928	45,407	17,018	15,273	77,698	5,208	10,436*	93,342	71,805	165,147

\* Excluding the output of quarries valued at £979,000 in 1926, £1,521,500 in 1927, and £1,500,000 in 1928.

## Value of Production per Head of Population.

	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1918	16 17 0	7 2 3	5 10 7	29 9 10	1 18 10	5 9 1	36 17 9	15 6 9	52 4 6	
1919	17 13 5	6 4 10	5 12 7	29 10 10	1 17 8	3 19 5	35 7 11	16 13 2	52 1 1	
1920	19 15 9	6 13 3	5 15 8	32 4 8	3 16 2	4 14 8	40 15 6	19 5 8	60 1 2	
1921	9 14 7	15 9 8	7 17 4	33 1 7	1 19 2	4 17 6	39 18 3	20 12 8	60 10 11	
1922	11 15 2	9 10 5	6 1 4	27 6 11	1 14 2	4 10 10	33 11 11	21 19 4	55 11 3	
1923	16 18 6	9 16 0	6 3 9	32 18 3	2 4 3	4 15 11	39 18 5	23 14 10	63 13 3	
1924	18 0 1	9 6 0	5 11 6	32 17 7	1 18 1	5 7 2	40 10 25	3 3 8	65 6 6	
1925	20 8 9	12 15 6	6 7 3	39 11 6	2 4 7	5 4 7	47 0 8	26 4 1	73 4 9	
1926	18 8 10	9 0 6	6 8 0	33 17 4	2 8 10	5 7 6	41 13 8	28 4 6	69 18 0	
1927	20 7 4	9 8 3	6 4 4	35 19 11	2 12 4	5 5 3	43 17 6	29 15 0	73 12 6	
1928	18 18 3	7 1 9	6 7 3	32 7 3	2 3 5	4 6 11	38 17 7	29 18 2	68 15 9	

## No. 43.—Estimated Number of Persons Engaged in Principal Industries—1918-28.

(The figures represent the average number of persons engaged during the year.)

Year ended 30th June.	Rural Industries.			Forests, Fisheries, and Trapping.	Mining Industry.	Manufacturing Industry.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.			Males.	Females.	Total.
	Males.	Males.						
1918	112,500	14,900	127,400	6,800	29,900	90,000	30,500	120,500
1919	113,900	13,600	127,500	7,000	29,100	96,900	30,700	127,600
1920	126,900	14,700	141,600	6,800	27,300	109,800	34,600	144,400
1921	120,600	15,700	136,300	6,700	26,100	112,200	32,800	145,000
1922	120,900	16,800	137,700	6,900	25,800	112,400	36,500	148,900
1923	120,900	16,400	137,300	6,900	28,100	115,300	37,300	152,600
1924	120,300	15,300	135,600	7,800	28,100	121,800	37,800	159,600
1925	123,200	16,300	139,500	8,300	29,500	126,500	39,300	165,800
1926	121,000	16,300	137,300	7,900	29,800	132,200	41,900	174,100
1927	119,900	14,300	134,200	8,500	30,400	138,300	44,900	183,200
1928	120,700	13,500	134,200	8,000	26,700	138,000	44,700	182,700

NOTE.—The great majority of females engaged in rural occupations are employed in conjunction with domestic duties, very few being returned as working for wages. Since 1919 a more careful collection has been made of the number of females engaged in rural pursuits, and it would appear that previously about 12,000 females were included each year (e.g., wives of the proprietors) who were engaged wholly in domestic duties. The number of females quoted in the above table for years prior to 1920 represents, therefore, the number as returned, less 12,000.

## No. 44.—Average Retail Prices of Food and Groceries—Sydney.

Article.	Unit of quantity.	1929.								1927.	1928.
		July.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Dec.	Dec.	Dec.	Dec.
		s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Bread ... ..	2-lb. loaf.	0 5'70	0 5'70	0 5'70	0 5'70	0 5'70	0 5'70	0 5'70	0 6'2	0 5'98	
Flour ... ..	25-lb. bag.	4 3'4	4 6	4 7'1	4 6'5	4 6'3	4 6'3	4 6'3	4 10'3	4 7'2	
Tea ... ..	lb.	2 2'3	2 2'3	2 2'3	2 1'5	2 1'5	2 1'5	2 2'9	2 2'7	2 2'7	
Coffee and Chicory ...	"	2 2'4	2 2'4	2 2'4	2 2'4	2 2'2	2 2'1	2 2'2	2 2'4	2 2'4	
Sugar (small quantities)	"	0 4'6	0 4'6	0 4'6	0 4'6	0 4'6	0 4'6	0 4'6	0 4'6	0 4'6	
Rice ... ..	"	0 3'7	0 3'7	0 3'7	0 3'7	0 3'7	0 3'7	0 3'9	0 3'7	0 3'7	
Sago ... ..	"	0 3'4	0 3'4	0 3'4	0 3'3	0 3'4	0 3'3	0 3'5	0 3'4	0 3'4	
Jam (Australian) ...	"	0 6'9	0 6'9	0 6'9	0 6'9	0 6'9	0 6'9	0 7'9	0 7'1	0 7'1	
Oatmeal (plain) ...	5-lb. bag	1 8'1	1 8'2	1 8'5	1 8'7	1 8'9	1 9'0	1 10'3	1 9'3	1 9'3	
Raisins ... ..	lb.	0 9'1	0 9'2	0 9'2	0 9'3	0 9'3	0 9'2	0 8'9	0 9'3	0 9'3	
Currants ... ..	"	0 9'3	0 9'3	0 9'3	0 9'4	0 9'3	0 9'2	0 8'9	0 9'5	0 9'5	
Starch ... ..	"	0 9'2	0 9'2	0 9'2	0 9'2	0 9'4	0 9'4	0 9'7	0 9'6	0 9'6	
Blue ... ..	doz. sqs.	1 2'0	1 2'0	1 2'0	1 1'9	1 2'0	1 2	1 2'5	1 2'3	1 2'3	
Candles ... ..	lb.	0 10'4	0 10'6	0 10'6	0 10'5	0 10'4	0 10'3	0 11'7	0 10'8	0 10'8	
Soap ... ..	"	0 5'2	0 5'2	0 5'2	0 5'2	0 5'2	0 5'2	0 5'6	0 5'3	0 5'3	
Potatoes ... ..	14 lb.	3 2'2	3 6'3	3 10	4 5'8	4 6'8	2 3'3	1 8'4	1 11'2	1 11'2	
Onions ... ..	lb.	0 3'0	0 2'9	0 3'3	0 3'8	0 3'6	0 3'3	0 2'0	0 3'2	0 3'2	
Kerosene ... ..	gallon.	1 11'3	1 11'3	1 11'3	1 11'3	1 11'3	1 11	2 0'3	1 9'4	1 9'4	
Milk (Fresh) ... ..	quart.	0 9'1	0 9'1	0 9'1	0 9'1	0 8'8	0 8'7	0 9'1	0 9'1	0 9'1	
Butter ... ..	lb.	2 1'1	2 1'2	2 1'1	2 1'1	2 0'1	1 11'4	1 10'6	2 0'8	2 0'8	
Cheese (new & matured)	"	1 5'3	1 5'3	1 5'5	1 5'2	1 5'2	1 3'1	1 3'8	1 3'2	1 3'2	
Eggs, new-laid ... ..	doz.	2 1'6	1 8'9	1 7'3	1 6'9	1 7'0	1 9'1	2 1'5	1 8'7	1 8'7	
Bacon (Middle cut) ...	lb.	1 7'3	1 7'4	1 7'5	1 7'5	1 7'5	1 7'5	1 8'2	1 8'1	1 8'1	
" (Shoulder) ... ..	"	1 0'2	1 0'4	1 0'4	1 0'8	1 0'3	1 0'5	0 1'1	0 9'9	0 9'9	
Ham ... ..	"	1 11'2	1 11'2	1 11'3	1 11'3	1 11'3	1 11'2	2 0'4	2 0'1	2 0'1	
Beef (Fresh)—Sirloin...	"	0 10'9	0 10'9	0 11'4	1 0'0	1 1'01	0 11'9	0 11'8	0 10'3	0 10'3	
" Ribs ... ..	"	0 8'4	0 8'4	0 8'8	0 9'0	0 9'3	0 9'2	0 8'9	0 7'7	0 7'7	
" Flank ... ..	"	0 8'1	0 8'2	0 8'6	0 8'8	0 9'2	0 9'2	0 8'9	0 7'6	0 7'6	
" Gravy ... ..	"	0 5'9	0 6'0	0 6'3	0 6'6	0 6'5	0 6'4	0 6'3	0 5'7	0 5'7	
Steak—Rump ... ..	"	1 3'5	1 3'8	1 4'3	1 4'6	1 4'8	1 4'7	1 4'4	1 2'9	1 2'9	
" Shoulder... ..	"	0 8'0	0 7'9	0 8'5	0 8'7	0 9'0	0 9'0	0 8'7	0 7'3	0 7'3	
" Stewing... ..	"	0 6'9	0 7'1	0 7'4	0 7'7	0 8'0	0 8'0	0 7'6	0 6'4	0 6'4	
Beef (Corned)—Round	"	0 8'4	0 8'4	0 8'7	0 9'0	0 9'1	0 9'1	0 9'4	0 8'0	0 8'0	
Mutton—Leg ... ..	"	0 8'1	0 8'4	0 8'3	0 8'4	0 8'2	0 8'2	0 8'6	0 8'1	0 8'1	
" Shoulder ... ..	"	0 6'2	0 6'2	0 6'1	0 6'3	0 6'1	0 6'1	0 6'5	0 6'0	0 6'0	
" Loin ... ..	"	0 9'7	0 9'8	0 9'7	0 9'7	0 9'7	0 9'5	0 9'3	0 9'0	0 9'0	
" Neck ... ..	"	0 6'3	0 6'5	0 6'0	0 6'5	0 6'3	0 6'2	0 6'6	0 5'8	0 5'8	
Chops—Loin ... ..	"	0 10'9	0 10'7	0 11'0	0 10'7	0 10'7	0 10'6	0 10'9	0 10'2	0 10'2	
" Leg ... ..	"	0 9'8	0 9'6	0 9'8	0 9'8	0 9'7	0 9'5	0 10'6	0 9'4	0 9'4	
" Neck ... ..	"	0 7'8	0 7'9	0 7'8	0 7'9	0 7'8	0 7'8	0 7'8	0 7'1	0 7'1	
Lamb—Forequarter ...	"	0 8'1	0 8'0	0 7'9	0 7'9	0 7'9	0 7'9	0 8'0	0 7'7	0 7'7	
" Hindquarter...	"	0 11'3	0 11'3	0 11'2	0 11'2	0 11'1	0 11'2	0 10'9	0 10'8	0 10'8	
Pork—Leg ... ..	"	1 2'5	1 2'5	1 2'8	1 2'9	1 2'9	1 2'9	1 4'0	1 2'7	1 2'7	
" Loin ... ..	"	1 3'2	1 3'2	1 3'2	1 3'5	1 3'4	1 3'5	1 3'5	1 2'6	1 2'6	
" Belly ... ..	"	1 0'1	1 0'2	1 0'1	1 0'4	1 0'3	1 0'8	1 1'0	1 0'1	1 0'1	
" Chops ... ..	"	1 3'1	1 3'1	1 3'4	1 3'3	1 3'3	1 3'4	1 3'9	1 2'9	1 2'9	

NOTE.—The above Prices represent the average predominant rates ruling about the 15th day of each month.

# No. 45.—Index Numbers—Retail Prices, Food and Groceries, Sydney, 1914-29. (July, 1914=1000.)

Month.	1914.	1919.	1920.	1921.	1922.	1923.	1924.	1925.	1926.	1927.	1928.	1929.
Jan...	968	1449	1696	1886	1454	1493	1568	1490	1582	1670	1608	1693
Feb...	993	1477	1750	1859	1405	1480	1539	1493	1505	1592	1572	1711
Mar...	1033	1501	1738	1766	1417	1472	1531	1510	1636	1545	1590	1678
Apr...	1018	1532	1787	1705	1436	1550	1508	1507	1663	1565	1603	1701
May...	1000	1533	1780	1653	1462	1573	1524	1528	1660	1572	1606	1657
June...	1010	1541	1901	1630	1455	1628	1482	1547	1632	1572	1590	1673
July...	1000	1541	1953	1612	1493	1649	1484	1560	1620	1532	1579	1663
Aug...	1009	1533	2007	1592	1531	1674	1477	1575	1614	1585	1567	1681
Sept...	996	1520	2023	1569	1544	1614	1449	1583	1609	1616	1562	1708
Oct...	988	1611	1934	1539	1496	1595	1460	1585	1585	1672	1565	...
Nov...	989	1664	1900	1494	1523	1600	1503	1578	1615	1662	1578	...
Dec...	1029	1650	1885	1439	1505	1586	1497	1608	1648	1628	1582	...

NOTE.—It is considered that the regimen used in the compilation of the above table requires revision. This will be done at an early date, and will probably involve adjustments in the table.

## No. 46.—Index Numbers—Wholesale Prices, Sydney, 1911-29.

Yearly—1911-29.

[Year 1911=1000.]

Year.	Agricultural Produce. (13 items.)	Groceries. (26 items.)	Wool, Cotton, Leather and Jute. (9 items.)	Metals and Coal. (16 items.)	Building Materials. (17 items.)	Meat. (5 items.)	Dairy Produce. (8 items.)	Chemicals. (6 items.)	All Commodities. (100 items.)
1911	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000
1912	1339	1036	968	1001	1079	1323	1133	980	1129
1913	1069	1033	1043	1039	1107	1379	1093	1003	1092
1914	1135	1016	1009	1079	1105	1669	1128	1220	1137
1915	1648	1099	976	1270	1137	2596	1349	1426	1401
1916	1163	1245	1367	1725	1241	2896	1380	1617	1489
1917	1127	1298	2093	2358	1421	3007	1440	1956	1727
1918	1377	1405	2614	2740	1685	2618	1487	2605	1933
1919	1990	1492	2501	2454	1879	2873	1718	2089	2090
1920	2430	1914	3079	2602	2415	3113	2236	2301	2503
1921	1750	1941	1471	2511	2259	1921	2020	1863	1956
1922	1638	1859	1595	2164	2074	1513	1735	1668	1800
1923	1720	1754	2061	2131	1994	2121	1939	1531	1925
1924	1475	1676	2408	2127	1988	2039	1671	1493	1874
1925	1680	1673	2094	2117	1895	2042	1612	1423	1854
1926	1892	1683	1652	2161	1893	1802	1760	1447	1834
1927	1767	1682	1633	2197	1957	1971	1831	1483	1840
1928	1456	1674	1798	2176	1937	1985	1763	1492	1785
1929	1707	1661	*1659	2164	1953	2391	1842	1457	*1864

Monthly—1927-29.

[Year 1911=1000.]

1927.									
October ...	2004	1679	1773	2197	1954	2574	1907	1493	1977
November ...	1750	1680	1767	2187	1933	2537	1771	1461	1900
December ...	1646	1685	1725	2181	1972	2384	1742	1447	1859
1928.									
January ...	1537	1680	1753	2181	1965	2093	1707	1470	1806
February ...	1482	1679	1758	2181	1967	2209	1676	1510	1804
March ...	1448	1673	1805	2173	1967	2150	1773	1510	1805
April ...	1495	1672	1864	2173	1933	2132	1802	1510	1820
May ...	1475	1672	1957	2159	1933	1990	1806	1504	1814
June ...	1411	1672	1845	2159	1933	1922	1796	1491	1776
July ...	1486	1671	1890	2161	1933	2104	1775	1491	1815
August ...	1400	1671	1763	2159	1930	1931	1756	1491	1758
September ...	1360	1675	1727	2192	1930	1897	1764	1491	1747
October ...	1430	1675	1744	2192	1922	1802	1771	1491	1755
November ...	1438	1677	1733	2192	1921	1764	1727	1476	1747
December ...	1505	1677	1729	2192	1921	1827	1802	1470	1775
1929.									
January ...	1655	1670	1736	2187	1921	1856	1848	1470	1814
February ...	1597	1670	1734	2175	1923	2252	1902	1458	1843
March ...	1539	1658	1755	2177	1923	2597	1858	1470	1861
April ...	1520	1657	1724	2188	1927	2707	1911	1458	1870
May ...	1533	1657	1670	2180	1949	2194	1963	1447	1821
June ...	1587	1648	1671	2158	1952	2178	1933	1447	1824
July ...	1771	1652	1637	2154	1967	2053	1851	1463	1841
August ...	1837	1652	1660	2154	1967	2355	1807	1463	1884
September ...	1929	1651	1669	2149	1966	2578	1784	1472	1923
October ...	1968	1674	1590	2149	1972	2677	1795	1456	1936
November ...	1870	1670	1533	2149	1972	2573	1731	1441	1890
December ...	1675	1673	*1529	2149	1997	2671	1723	1441	*1858

NOTE.—The actual prices of the various commodities are published in the "Statistical Register of New South Wales."

\* Preliminary—Subject to revision.



## No. 47.—Rates of Wages, December, 1929.

- Aerated Water Factory Employees**—Adult males, 89/6 (General to 108/6 (Cordial Maker) per week; adult females, 46/- per week.
- Bakers (Bread)**—128/6 to 138/6 per week; (Biscuit Factories), 106/- per week.
- \* **Blacksmiths**, 118/6 per week.
- \* **Boilermakers**, 2/9½ per hour.
- Bookbinders**, 116/- per week.
- Boot and Shoe makers**—Male, 100/- per week; females, 51/-; or piece-work.
- \* **Brass Finishers (General)**, 110/6 per week; (Engineering), 118/6 per week.
- Bread-carters**, 108/6 per week.
- Bricklayers**, 3/- per hour.
- Brick-carters**—1 horse, 91/-; 2 horses, 101/- per week. 4/- per week extra for each additional horse. 1 ton motor waggon drivers, 98/6 per week, with 5/- per week for each additional ton.
- Brickmakers**—
- Burners, 2/3½ per hour; Machine Men, 2/2½ per hour; setter, 2/3½ per hour; Pitmen, 2/2½ per hour.
- Brushmakers**—Male, 2/7¾ per hour or 109/6 per week; females, 1/3½ per hour or 53/- per week; or piece-work rates.
- Butchers**—Shopman, 102/-; carter, 92/-.
- " Slaughtermen—Mutton, 48/1½ per 100; Beef, 8/12/6 per week; Pork, 6/13/6 per week.
- \* **Carpenters and Joiners**, 2/10½ per hour; State Award, 2/10½ per hour.
- Cabinetmakers**, 108/6 per week.
- Chairmakers**, 111/- per week.
- Cigarmakers**, 97/- per week; 1/5 to 12/4½ per 100 according to shape.
- Clerks**—Males, 90/-; females, 51/9 per week.
- " Junior (16 to 23 years)—Males, 26/- to 90/-; females, 23/9 to 41/9 per week.
- " Solicitors (under 16 to 23 years)—Males 20/- to 100/- per week; females 12/- to 60/-.
- " Wholesale Hardware, General Merchants, and Importers—Males (Ledger-keepers and Cashiers) 105/- per week; junior (16 to 23 years), 20/6 to 100/-; females, 21/- to 60/- Typists, and/or Stenographers (females), 23 years and over, 66/- per week.
- " \*Permanent Wharf—90/6 to 102/6 per week.
- " Casual Wharf—2/11 per hour.
- " Office Assistants (Retail Shops)—Males 85/6 to 107/6 per week; females, 47/- to 60/6.
- Coach-painters**, 117/- per week } Road.  
**Coach-smiths**, 117/- per week }
- Coal lumpers**, 3/2½ per hour, day work; 4/6 per hour, night work.
- Compositors (hand)**—Journeyman, 116/- per week, 12/- extra for night work.
- " (machine)—128/- per week; 12/- extra for night work.
- " " Piece-work.—5d. per 1000 ens (day); 5½d. per 1000 ens (night). plus 6/- per week basic wage increase.
- \* **Coopers**, 119/- per week.
- \* **Coppersmiths**, 118/6 per week.
- Drapers.** (See "Shop Assistants.")
- \* **Dressmakers**, 60/-, White-workers, 54/-, Milliners—Machinists, 52/6 per week.
- Electricians**—Mechanics, 2/8½ per hour; Fitters, 2/9½ per hour.
- Engine-drivers**, 101/6 to 122/10 per week; Firemen, 98/10 to 101/10 per week.
- Farriers**—Firemen, 111/- per week.
- " Floormen, 106/- per week.
- \* **Fitters, Turners (Engineering)**, 118/6 per week.
- French-polishers**—111/- per week.
- Grocers.** (See "Shop Assistants.")
- Hairdressers**, 103/6 to 113/6 per week.
- Hotel Employees**—
- Cooks (male), 92/6 to 197/6 per week.
- Cooks (female), 58/6 to 121/6 per week.
- Waiters, 84/6 per week.
- Waitresses, 54/6 per week.
- Barmen, 94/6 per week.
- Barmaids, 70/- per week.
- Storemen, 97/6 per week.
- Kitchenmen, 84/6 to 90/6 per week.
- { Hotel employees provided with board to receive 16/6 per week less than wages prescribed.
- Ironmongers.** (See "Shop Assistants.")
- \* **Jam Factory Workers**—
- Males, 92/6 to 118/6 per week.
- Females, 48/- to 66/- per week.
- Labourers**—Builders', 2/5½; General, 2/1½ to 2/8½ per hour.
- Letter-press Machinists**, 116/- per week.
- Lithographers**, 112/- per week.
- \* **Moulders**, 2/9½ per hour.
- Painters (General)**, 2/7½ per hour.
- \* **Patternmakers**, 127/6 per week.
- Plasterers**, 3/1½ per hour.
- Plumbers**, 2/10½ per hour.
- Quarrymen (Sandstone)**, 2/10½ per hour.
- Roofing Tile Makers**—Burners, 17/11½ per shift; Machine Men, 2/2½ per hour; Setter, 2/3½ per hour; Pitmen, 2/3½ per hour.
- \* **Saw-mill Employees**—Machinists, 98/- to 116/-; Saw Sharpeners, 110/-; Sawyers, 98/- to 119/- per week.
- Sheet Metal Workers**, 85/6 to 113/6 per week.
- Shop Assistants (Metropolitan) Grocers**—Males, 85/6 to 95/-; females, 57/- to 62/-, according to age. Tobacconists—Males, 85/6 to 91/-; females, 47/- to 59/-, according to age.
- Drapers, Ironmongers, etc., adults**—Males, 85/6 to 100/- per week; females, 46/- to 58/- per week.
- Slaters**, 2/11¼ per hour.
- Stone-masons**, 3/3 per hour.
- Storemen**, per week—Wharf, 96/6; Hardware, 90/6 to 120/-; Packers, 93/6 to 95/6; Softgoods (Wholesale) Storemen, 90/6 to 120/6; Packers, 93/6 to 120/6; Drug Stores (Wholesale) Storemen, 91/-; Packers, 88/- and 92/6; Grocers (Wholesale) Storemen, 90/6 to 117/-; Packers, 92/- to 117/-; Tobacconists (Wholesale) Storemen, 90/6 to 120/-; Packers, 92/- to 120/-; Storemen, n.e.i. 94/6 to 106/-; Packers, n.e.i. 96/- to 108/6; Produce, Grain, and Seed Stores Storemen and Packers—92/6 to 113/6 per week. Retail Stores—Storemen and Packers, 93/6 to 101/- Oil and Colour Stores (Wholesale)—Storemen and Packers, 96/6 to 109/-; Bonded and Free Stores—Storemen and Packers, 97/6 per week.

## No. 47.—Rates of Wages, December, 1929—continued.

\*Tailors—Journymen, 107/- per week.  
 „ Cutters—Men's Garments—110/- to 117/- per week.  
 „ Trimmers 107/- per week.  
 „ Fitters 107/- per week.  
 „ Machinists 107/- per week.  
 „ Pressers, 107/- per week.  
 „ Piece-work—log rates.  
 \*Tailoresses (coat hands), order, 60/- per week.  
 „ (trousers and vest hands), order, 54/6 per week.  
 „ Ready-made clothing for men—  
 „ Journymen on coats, 57/6 p. wk.  
 „ Journymen on trousers and vests, 52/6 per week.  
 „ Piece-work, order—log rates.  
 Textile Workers—Males, 85/6 to 103/-; Females, 49/3 to 76/6 per week.  
 Tile-layers, 2/11<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> per hour.  
 Tinmiths, 2/0<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> to 2/8<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> per hour.  
 Trolly and Draymen—  
 Timber-carters, 1 horse, 93/6; 2 horses, 98/6; 3 horses, 103/6; 4 horses, 107/6 per week.  
 Motor Waggon Drivers, 95/6 per week to 1 ton carrying capacity; with 5/- per week extra for each additional ton or part to 3 tons; over 3 tons 4/- extra.  
 Carters (General)—1 Horse, 96/- per week; 2 horses, 101/- per week; 3 horses, 106/- per week; with 4/- per week extra for each additional horse.  
 Casual Drivers—1 horse, 2/5<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> per hour, with 1/- per day extra for each additional horse.  
 Tip-carters, 1 horse, 96/- per week; 2 horses, 101/- per week; 3 horses, 106/- per week; 4/- per week extra for each additional horse.  
 Wood and Coal Carters—1 horse, 93/6 per week; 2 horses, 98/6 per week; 3 horses, 103/6 per week; 4/- per week for each extra horse. Motor Waggon Drivers, 95/6 up to 1 ton; with 5/- per week extra for each additional ton to 3 tons, 4/- extra for each additional ton or part.  
 Carters, Retail Stores—1 horse, 96/- per week; 2 horses, 101/- per week; 3 horses 106/- per week; with 4/- per week extra for each additional horse.  
 Ice Carters—1 horse, 91/6 per week; 2 horses, 94/- per week.

## COAL MINES.—Northern District.

Miners, 2/5<sup>1</sup>/<sub>8</sub> to 6/11<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> per ton.  
 Deputies, 24/4 per day.  
 Shot-firers, 21/7 to 22/1 per day.  
 Waste-examiners, 21/7 to 22/1 per day.

## Engine-drivers—

Loco. engines, 21/- per day.  
 Winding, 21/- to 23/- per day.  
 Other engines, 18/7 to 21/- per day.  
 Stokers and firemen, 18/- to 18/7 per day.  
 Motor attendants or drivers, 18/1 per day.  
 Shiftmen, 18/- to 22/1 per day.  
 Wheelers, 18/3 to 18/9 per day.

NOTE.—The employees in the Coal-mines in New South Wales work under Commonwealth Government Orders, Agreements or Awards. The rate paid to miners varies according to the conditions of the seams or places where the coal is mined.

## \*Interstate and Intercolonial Steamers (per month).

Masters, £28/5/- to £88/7/6.  
 Officers, chief, £22/13/- to £36/7/6; 2nd, £20/13/- to £32/7/6; 3rd, £21/13/- to £27/17/6 junior, £20/13/-.  
 Trimmers, £17/-/-; Firemen, £19/-/-.

## Coastal (New South Wales) Steamers (per month).

Masters, £28/5/- to £48/7/6.  
 Officers, chief, £22/13/- to £29/7/6; 2nd, £20/13/- to £28/7/6; others, £20/13/- to £22/13/-.  
 Engineers, £24/3/- to £34/7/6.  
 Firemen, £19/-/-.

## Carters and Motor Waggon Drivers—

Laundry Carters—1 horse, 96/- per week; with 5/- per week for each additional horse.  
 Motor Waggon Drivers—98/- per week up to 1 ton; with 5/- per week extra for each additional ton or part thereof.

Milk Carters—Ordinary delivery, 97/- per week; bulk—1 horse, 94/- per week; 2 horses, 96/- per week; with 2/6 per week extra for each additional horse. Motor Waggon Drivers—104/- per week.

Pottery Carters—1 horse, 95/6 per week; 2 horses, 100/6 per week; 3 horses, 106/6 per week; 4 horses, 111/6 per week; with 5/- per week extra per man for each additional horse. Motor Waggon Drivers—97/6 to 113/6 per week.

Wholesale Butchers—1 horse, 102/- per week; 2 horses, 109/6 per week; with 1/- per day extra for each additional horse. Motor Waggon Drivers—107/- to 114/6 per week.

Motor Waggon Drivers, 95/6 per week up to 1 ton carrying capacity, 5/- per ton for each additional ton up to 3 tons, and 4/- per ton for each ton over 3 tons. Casual Drivers, 2/5<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> per hour and 1/3 per day extra for each ton or part thereof over 1 ton.

Motor Bus Drivers—112/6 per week. Conductors—Males, 70/5 to 90/-, according to age.

Motor Drivers—Private hire drivers, 93/6  
 Taxi Cab drivers, 96/-.

Upholsterers, males, 111/- per week; females, 56/- per week.

Warehouse Employees (other than Softgoods and Drug Warehouses)—Males, 88/6 to 98/6; females, 49/- to 62/-, according to age. Drug Warehouse—Males, 95/- to 110/-; females, 57/3. Softgoods Warehouses—Males, 87/- to 100/-; females, 47/- to 60/-.

Wharf Labourers—91/6 per week. Casual, 2/11 per hour.

\*Wheelwrights, 118/6 per week

Flatters, 18/- per day.  
 Water-bailers, 18/9 per day.  
 Set riders, 18/6 per day.  
 Rolleyway men, 18/- to 19/9 per day.  
 Roadlayers, 18/- to 19/9 per day.  
 Waggon packers, 18/- per day.  
 Banksmen, 19/2 per day.  
 Shunters, 18/- per day.  
 Screenmen, 18/- per day.  
 Onsetters, 18/- to 19/2 per day.  
 Stablemen, 18/- per day.  
 Labourers, 18/- per day.  
 Boys and Youths, 6/6 to 16/2 per day.

Engineers, chief, £32/2/6 to £66/7/6; 2nd, £26/17/6 to £41/15/6; 3rd, £24/2/6 to £33/7/6; 4th, £21/3/- to £28/14/6; 5th, £20/13/-.  
 Able Seamen, £17/-/-.

No. 47.—Rates of Wages, December, 1929—continued.

*Farm and Station Employees (with rations and lodging), per week.*

† Station Employees—

Cooks (station), male 54/8; female 36/9 to 54/8.  
Cooks (shearers'), 91/-.  
Blacksmiths, 54/8.  
Shearers (per 100 sheep), no rations, 41/- to 51/3 (less 2/3 per week).  
Shed Hands, 81/-.  
Station Hands, 54/8.  
Stockmen, 54/8.  
Useful Boys (age under 18 to 21), 20/- to 26/6.

Farm Employees—

Permanent Farm Hands, 55/-  
Harvest Hands, 14/- per day.

Farm Employees—continued.

Driver of Reaper and Binder, Stripper and Harvester, 18/- per day.  
Stack Builder, 23/- per day.  
Team and Tractor Driver, 14/- per day.  
Potato Digger, 13/- per day.  
Maize picker, 13/- per day.  
Pea and Bean Picker, 13/- per day.  
Boys from 15/- per week at 16 years to 40/- per week at 20 years.  
Country Blacksmiths (general) without rations, firemen 110/-, floormen 105/-.

*Domestic Servants (with board and lodging), per week.*

Cooks (Females)—

Private house, 25/- to 50/-  
Boarding-house, 39/10 to 72/7\*  
General and Laundress, 42/10.\*  
House Maid, 37/4.\*

General Servants (aged 18 years and upwards), 30/- to 40/-

Nursemaids (aged 15 to 20 years), 25/- to 35/-  
Useful Girls (aged 15 to 18 years), 20/- to 25/-  
Gardeners, 57/- to 79/6

\* State Award.

† Commonwealth Awards.

**Living Wage for Adult Employees.**

Date of Declaration.

Male.

Female.

Oct., 1920, for males; Dec., 1920, for females ... ..	85/- per week, 14/2 per day, 1/9½ per hour.	43/- per week, 7/2 per day, 10½d. per hour.
8th Oct., 1921, for males; 22nd Dec., 1921, for females...	82/- per week, 13/8 per day, 1/8½ per hour.	41/- per week.
12th May, 1922, and 8th Oct., 1922, for males ... ..	78/- per week, 13/- per day, 1/7½ per hour.	
9th Oct., 1922, for females ... ..		39/6 per week.
10th April, 1923, for males and females ... ..	79/- per week.	40/- per week.
7th September, 1923, and 7th March, 1924, for males and females.	82/- per week, 13/8 per day, 1/8½ per hour.	41/6 per week.
24th August, 1925, for males and females ... ..	84/- per week.	42/6 per week.
15th Dec. 1926, for males ... ..	84/- " "	
27th June, 1927, for males and females ... ..	85/- " "	46/- per week.
20th December, 1929, for males and females ... ..	82/6 " "	44/6 per week.

**No. 48.—New Buildings erected in Metropolis—Annually.**

Year.	Returns of Metropolitan Water, Sewerage, and Drainage Board.		Municipal Returns.			
	Buildings erected and assessed.	Cost of Buildings, including additions to old Buildings.	Buildings for which permission to build was granted.	Estimated Cost of New Buildings.	Estimated Cost of Alterations and Additions.	Total Cost, Buildings, Alterations, and Additions.
	No.	£	No.	£	£	£
1919	4,892	4,314,000	7,116	6,462,000	941,000	7,403,000
1920	8,428	8,398,000	8,667	8,819,000	1,031,000	9,850,000
1921	6,964	8,626,000	5,567	6,405,000	1,220,000	7,625,000
1922	7,277	8,755,000	8,584	8,259,000	1,141,000	9,400,000
1923	8,516	8,976,000	11,011	9,845,000	1,107,000	10,952,000
1924	9,770	12,585,886	10,019	8,742,000	1,250,000	9,992,000
1925	8,658	10,157,045	10,802	9,088,000	1,158,000	10,246,000
1926	8,534	11,409,396	10,673	10,510,000	1,750,000	12,260,000
1927	8,366	12,346,186	9,038	11,278,000	1,914,000	13,192,000
1928	9,135	14,216,074	8,828	10,802,000	1,867,000	12,669,000
1929*	8,641	15,338,308	†8,285	†13,460,663	†2,282,465	†15,743,128

\* Inclusive of Auburn, Bankstown, Granville, Lidcombe and Parramatta.

† For the City of Sydney the number and value of buildings assessed by the Metropolitan Water, Sewerage and Drainage Board have been used.

**No. 49.—New Buildings—Metropolis—Monthly.**

Month.	1927.			1928.			1929.		
	City of Sydney.		Suburbs.	City of Sydney.		Suburbs.	City of Sydney.		Suburbs.
	Per-mits.*	Per-mits.	Estimated Value.	Per-mits.*	Per-mits.	Estimated Value.	Per-mits.*	Per-mits.	Estimated Value.
			£			£			£
January	12	679	690,115	11	747	1,025,819	5	742	743,765
February	13	781	797,617	10	709	800,139	7	715	817,277
March	14	856	917,210	13	753	802,589	7	780	952,711
April	5	643	686,384	9	616	671,938	5	689	713,296
May	13	757	693,394	14	780	874,805	12	736	894,358
June	12	760	1,291,813	12	715	772,093	6	671	772,378
July	18	799	878,056	14	816	919,652	10	875	897,478
August	15	973	988,080	7	874	972,063	2	752	838,037
September	12	763	861,941	8	740	783,643	8	651	689,913
October	9	678	696,976	10	728	792,449	5	635	697,673
November	15	709	757,644	8	714	841,445	9	546	639,098
December	9	493	575,386	7	513	511,820	2	342	414,022
Total (twelve months)	147	8,891	9,837,616	123	8,705	9,768,455	78	8,134	9,070,006

\* New Buildings, City of Sydney.—The values are not available.

NOTE.—Since January, 1927, garages built on to existing buildings have been treated as additions.

## No. 50.—Metropolis—Population and New Buildings.

NUMBER and Value of New Buildings, and of Alterations and Additions, in each Municipality, during the Twelve Months ended 31st December, 1928 and 1929.

Municipality.	Estimated Population on 31st December, 1928.	New Buildings during January to December.				Alterations and Additions during January to December.			
		1928.		1929.		1928.		1929.	
		Per-mits.	Estimated Value.	Per-mits.	Estimated Value.	Per-mits.	Estimated Value.	Per-mits.	Estimated Value.
City of Sydney...	110,000	123	£ *	78	£ *	955	£ *	983	£ *
Suburbs :									
North-western—									
Annandale ...	13,060	26	21,020	14	13,850	44	4,435	47	9,186
Balmain ...	33,020	49	53,081	44	61,482	265	30,090	239	30,652
Glebe ...	23,070	21	34,515	14	50,800	85	17,800	60	11,847
Leichhardt ...	31,210	59	102,165	68	48,530	206	11,479	185	36,386
West-central—									
Erskineville ...	7,600	3	1,025	3	1,900	20	1,100	12	830
Newtown ...	28,550	43	43,138	21	33,784	130	12,826	182	24,152
St. Peters ...	13,750	53	37,360	31	27,750	47	13,608	23	8,359
East-central—									
Alexandria ...	10,240	41	54,660	48	111,710	72	32,256	71	37,940
Botany ...	7,400	114	75,410	143	99,876	60	9,794	76	13,285
Darlington ...	3,660	4	17,910	2	4,150	14	1,183	11	16,724
Mascot ...	13,270	188	134,196	181	155,404	109	33,887	117	10,974
Redfern ...	24,120	13	37,440	4	6,300	43	10,343	41	10,318
Waterloo ...	12,540	182	180,820	96	176,920	141	29,708	116	125,007
Eastern—									
Paddington ...	26,970	18	61,530	42	81,001	180	34,151	72	14,462
Randwick ...	71,760	679	1,145,575	511	804,906	527	80,547	533	90,786
Vauchuse ...	7,010	89	211,609	78	221,860	152	36,902	108	32,743
Waverley ...	51,370	374	795,634	196	354,143	435	112,451	406	96,592
Woollahra ...	33,610	184	854,616	149	580,041	376	133,086	328	119,274
Western—									
Ashfield ...	39,300	150	148,144	128	134,440	442	32,155	474	40,870
Auburn... ..	19,240	224	189,105	158	127,994	103	56,536	227	26,596
Burwood ...	19,040	122	87,820	105	109,630	281	27,576	223	20,314
Concord ...	21,490	366	361,726	232	217,796	446	19,924	455	29,004
Drummoyne ...	28,130	396	305,198	287	291,364	319	37,676	356	46,021
Enfield ...	13,580	152	107,330	101	81,543	183	18,847	192	9,715
Granville ...	18,390	274	165,344	209	125,729	142	76,127	169	138,590
Homebush ...	3,040	47	34,510	36	27,788	53	7,401	58	2,053
Lidcombe ...	14,990	233	155,424	191	133,309	121	4,601	128	7,772
Marrickville ...	46,110	130	107,500	82	96,780	201	36,757	182	52,379
Parramatta ...	17,150	135	135,756	114	116,910	112	19,860	101	20,030
Petersham ...	27,780	64	59,845	101	117,622	218	39,532	177	43,102
Strathfield ...	11,750	130	158,690	114	125,298	201	20,718	178	16,474
Southern—									
Bankstown .....	20,470	606	367,418	434	297,305	173	11,795	203	15,772
Bexley ...	19,480	240	191,757	195	149,821	228	21,970	260	17,714
Canterbury ...	69,180	1,462	1,062,346	1,085	892,660	790	48,766	866	56,252
Hurstville ...	20,350	360	248,830	326	252,193	267	23,133	261	39,054
Kogarah ...	27,690	504	364,561	433	334,591	445	29,870	466	30,351
Rockdale ...	35,720	576	453,489	483	396,755	413	36,954	376	27,152
Northern—									
Eastwood ...	2,810	28	24,215	34	26,845	45	2,346	51	3,986
Hunter's Hill ...	9,440	63	62,805	81	74,436	106	9,241	93	12,872
Kuring-gai ...	26,490	410	590,326	387	629,743	509	85,484	599	100,104
Lane Cove ...	14,290	164	153,345	131	154,656	194	63,702	201	26,743
Manly ...	25,530	147	152,221	115	222,346	225	39,108	220	23,795
Mosman ...	24,530	107	219,480	96	205,975	221	49,539	220	57,751
North Sydney ...	54,460	155	371,368	115	253,897	424	201,705	417	113,151
Ryde ...	24,020	422	325,063	464	393,995	259	25,131	279	19,615
Willoughby ...	41,050	330	316,542	249	244,178	486	39,003	453	41,300
Total (Suburbs)	1,107,710	10,177	10,781,502	8,134	9,070,006	10,513	1,691,121	10,512	1,728,050
Total (City of Sydney) ...	110,000	123	*	78	*	955	*	983	*
Grand Total ...	1,217,710	10,300	10,781,502	8,212	9,070,006	11,468	1,691,121	11,495	1,728,050

\* Information not available.

Note.—For return of buildings erected during previous years see Table No. 48.

Inclusive of Auburn, Bankstown, Granville, Lidcombe, and Parramatta, included in Country Municipalities prior to 1st January, 1929.



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Country Municipalities—New Buildings during 1920-29.

Year.	New Buildings.		Year.	New Buildings.	
	Permits.	Estimated Value.		Permits.	Estimated Value.
		£			£
20	3,859	2,822,240	1925	7,338	4,312,921
21	3,131	1,979,109	1926	7,818	4,438,697
22	4,629	2,678,397	1927	6,463	4,647,941
23	6,026	3,759,126	1928	5,801	4,391,344
24	6,008	3,747,861	1929	4,375	3,775,862

*Note.*—Exclusive of Auburn, Bankstown, Granville, Lidcombe, and Parramatta, included in Metropolis from 1st January, 1929.

## No. 52.—Shires—Population at 31st December, 1928.

Shire.	Estimated Population, 31st Dec., 1928.	Shire.	Estimated Population, 31st Dec., 1928.	Shire.	Estimated Population, 31st Dec., 1928.
Abercrombie ... ..	3,620	Gwydir ... ..	1,080	Tenterfield ... ..	4,540
Amaroo ... ..	3,060	Harwood ... ..	5,030	Terania ... ..	6,560
Apsley ... ..	2,670	Hastings ... ..	8,150	Timbregungle ... ..	4,100
Ashford ... ..	2,240	Holbrook ... ..	2,150	Tintenbar ... ..	6,250
Bannockburn ... ..	3,180	Hornsby ... ..	19,950	Tomkl ... ..	3,540
Barraba ... ..	2,170	Hume ... ..	5,080	Tumbarumba ... ..	2,280
Baulkham Hills ... ..	5,870	Illabo ... ..	2,840	Turon ... ..	3,940
Bellingen ... ..	5,050	Imlay ... ..	4,470	Tweed ... ..	10,290
Berrigan ... ..	4,510	Jemalong ... ..	3,390	Upper Hunter ... ..	4,500
Bibbenluke ... ..	2,860	Jerilderie ... ..	1,950	Urana ... ..	2,660
Blacktown ... ..	9,480	Jindalee ... ..	1,970	Wakool ... ..	3,260
Bland ... ..	8,860	Kearsley ... ..	24,710	Walgett ... ..	3,130
Blaxland ... ..	8,390	Kyamba ... ..	4,200	Wallerobba ... ..	5,520
Blue Mountains ... ..	7,520	Kyogle ... ..	9,300	Waradgery ... ..	880
Bogan ... ..	1,980	Lachlan ... ..	5,080	Warrah ... ..	1,950
Bolwarra ... ..	3,350	Lake Macquarie ... ..	24,950	Warringham ... ..	14,890
Boolooloo ... ..	2,940	Liverpool Plains ... ..	5,160	Waugoola ... ..	5,840
Boomi ... ..	3,110	Lockhart ... ..	5,980	Weddin ... ..	3,290
Boree ... ..	6,290	Lyndhurst ... ..	5,140	Windouran ... ..	830
Bull ... ..	12,780	Macintyre ... ..	1,980	Wingadee ... ..	3,150
Burrangong ... ..	4,990	Macleay ... ..	7,340	Wingecarribee ... ..	4,230
Byron ... ..	7,170	Macquarie ... ..	3,570	Wollondilly ... ..	5,100
Cambewarra ... ..	1,310	Mandowra ... ..	2,480	Woodburn ... ..	2,800
Canobolas ... ..	5,820	Manning ... ..	13,080	Woy Woy ... ..	2,960
Carrathool ... ..	3,250	Marthaguy ... ..	1,850	Wyaldra ... ..	2,050
Clyde ... ..	1,600	Merriwa ... ..	2,520	Yallarah ... ..	2,980
Cobbora ... ..	5,350	Mitchell ... ..	5,010	Yanko ... ..	5,210
Cockburn ... ..	3,700	Monaro ... ..	2,680	Yarrowlumla ... ..	2,230
Colo ... ..	5,030	Mulwaree ... ..	7,880	Total, Shires ... ..	676,370
Conargo ... ..	1,100	Mumbulla ... ..	4,040	Summary	
Coolah ... ..	1,710	Murray ... ..	2,440	Shires ... ..	676,370
Coolamon ... ..	7,400	Murrumbidgee ... ..	700	Municipalities ... ..	1,743,000
Coonabarabran ... ..	5,700	Murrungal ... ..	2,630	Murrumbidgee Irriga- tion Area ... ..	12,580
Copmanhurst ... ..	3,110	Muswellbrook ... ..	3,380	Western Division— Unincorporated Area ... ..	14,813
Coreen ... ..	3,390	Nambucca ... ..	6,470	Lord Howe Island ... ..	111
Crookwell ... ..	6,010	Namoi ... ..	6,610	Total, State of New South Wales. ... ..	2,446,874
Cudgegong ... ..	4,810	Narraburra ... ..	4,780		
Culcaira ... ..	5,200	Nattai ... ..	4,030		
Dalgety ... ..	3,540	Nepean ... ..	2,550		
Demondrille ... ..	3,090	Nundle ... ..	1,090		
Dorrigo ... ..	8,690	Nymboldra ... ..	2,030		
Dumaresq ... ..	4,550	Oberon ... ..	2,500		
Erina ... ..	16,270	Orara ... ..	1,560		
Eurobodalla ... ..	4,530	Patrick Plains ... ..	6,030		
Gadara* ... ..	8,080	Peel ... ..	7,260		
Gilgandra ... ..	5,120	Port Stephens ... ..	3,930		
Gloucester ... ..	3,640	Rylstone ... ..	4,530		
Goobang ... ..	5,830	Severn ... ..	5,490		
Goodradigbee ... ..	3,250	Stroud ... ..	5,150		
Gostwyck ... ..	3,870	Sutherland ... ..	10,900		
Gundagai ... ..	4,610	Talbragar ... ..	3,830		
Gundurimba ... ..	4,020	Tallaganda ... ..	2,190		
Gunning ... ..	3,350	Tamarang ... ..	2,660		
Guyra ... ..	6,590	Tarro ... ..	6,900		

\* Now Tumut Shire.

### No. 53.—New South Wales Estimated Wheat Harvest, 1929-30.

A preliminary estimate of the wheat harvest of the season 1929-30, based upon returns received from the wheat growers of the State, was published on the 24th January, 1930.

The harvest is estimated at 11,948,000 bags, equivalent (on a basis of 3 bushels per bag) to 35,844,000 bushels of grain. The yield of hay was 325,400 tons.

The total area sown with wheat was 50,400 acres in excess of the estimate made in July last, being 4,366,000 acres. Of this area 3,497,100 acres were harvested for grain, 377,200 acres for hay, 458,800 acres failed, and 32,900 acres were fed-off profitably.

The average yield of grain per acre (including areas which failed entirely) was 9·1 bushels, being approximately 3 bushels per acre below the average of the preceding ten years.

The wheat growing season was on the whole unfavourable. Owing to the dry conditions which prevailed from April until August, a harvest as low as 20,000,000 bushels was forecasted, but the substantial falls of rain which occurred in August, September, and October assured a satisfactory harvest from all late sown crops.

The number of growers in the current season was 15,848 or 1,122 less than in last season.

The area harvested for grain, the yield, and the average yield per acre since 1919-20 were as follows :—

Season.	Area harvested for grain.	Production of Wheat.	Average Yield per acre.	Season.	Area harvested for grain.	Production of Wheat.	Average Yield per acre.
	acres.	bushels.	bushels.		acres.	bushels.	bushels.
1919-20	1,474,000	4,388,000	3·0	1925-26	2,925,000	33,806,000	11·6
1920-21	3,127,000	55,625,000	17·8	1926-27	3,353,000	47,541,000	14·2
1921-22	3,195,000	42,767,000	13·4	1927-28	3,030,000	27,042,000	8·9
1922-23	2,943,000	28,668,000	9·7	1928-29	4,077,000	49,183,000	12·1
1923-24	2,945,000	33,176,000	11·3	1929-30	3,497,100	35,844,000	9·1
1924-25	3,550,000	59,767,000	16·8				

### Estimated Wheat Harvest, 1929-30.

Division.	Area of Wheat.						Estimated Production.			
	Harvested for—		Failed entirely for—		* Fed-off Profitably.	Total.	Grain.		Hay.	
	Grain.	Hay.	Grain.	Hay.			Total.	Per Acre grown for Grain	Total.	Per Acre grown for Hay.
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Tons.	Tons.
Coastal ... ..	1,400	600	30	20	150	2,200	22,300	15·6	700	1·13
Tableland—										
Northern ... ..	11,200	1,900	300	100	200	13,700	230,900	20·1	2,300	1·15
Central ... ..	129,900	24,800	25,300	1,900	1,900	183,800	1,370,700	8·8	24,200	0·81
Southern ... ..	2,700	400	...	...	100	3,200	43,600	16·1	300	0·75
Totals ... ..	143,800	27,100	25,600	2,000	2,200	200,700	1,645,200	9·7	26,800	0·92
Western Slopes—										
North ... ..	319,400	12,100	12,300	900	4,700	349,400	5,212,900	15·7	13,200	1·01
Central ... ..	588,100	58,400	210,050	17,500	13,050	887,100	4,296,200	5·4	33,900	0·45
South ... ..	868,400	120,100	60,500	6,400	4,300	1,059,700	9,134,600	9·8	109,600	0·87
Total ... ..	1,775,900	190,600	282,850	24,800	22,050	2,296,200	18,643,700	9·1	156,700	0·73
Central Plains and Riverina—										
North Central Plain...	104,900	7,200	3,800	700	2,100	118,700	1,432,300	13·2	6,000	0·76
Central Plain ... ..	254,300	18,800	18,500	5,900	1,100	298,600	1,838,100	6·7	11,300	0·46
Riverina ... ..	1,213,700	131,900	85,000	4,900	5,300	1,440,800	12,252,600	9·4	123,300	0·90
Total ... ..	1,572,900	157,900	107,300	11,500	8,500	1,858,100	15,523,000	9·2	140,600	0·83
Western ... ..	3,100	1,000	4,520	180	...	8,800	9,800	1·3	600	0·51
<b>Total, New South Wales</b>	<b>3,497,100</b>	<b>377,200</b>	<b>420,300</b>	<b>38,500</b>	<b>32,900</b>	<b>4,366,000</b>	<b>35,844,000</b>	<b>9·1</b>	<b>325,400</b>	<b>0·78</b>

\*All areas of wheat "Fed-off," with a feed value of less than 15s. per acre, have been included in the columns "Failed entirely."

### Estimated Wheat Surplus.

The stocks of old season's wheat and flour held in New South Wales at the end of November, 1929, were (in equivalent wheat) 6,450,000 bushels.

If the estimated production during 1929-30 of 35,844,000 bushels be added to this, there is available 42,303,000 bushels.

The demand for wheat for local consumption is elastic and varies according to the nature of the pastoral season and the prices obtained.

The maximum requirements, including seed wheat, may be estimated at approximately 17,500,000 bushels, so that there should be a surplus of over 24,000,000 bushels available as compared with 35,000,000 bushels for the previous season.

## No. 54.—Agricultural Statistics, Year ended 30th June, 1928.

Name of Crop.	Area.	Production.	Average Yield per Acre.	Average Yield previous 5 years.
	Acres.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.
Grain—				
Wheat ... ..	3,029,950	27,042,009	8'9	12'9
Maize ... ..	148,801	3,939,570	26'4	27'1
Barley (malting) ... ..	2,642	31,959	12'1	16'1
" Other (feed) ... ..	2,958	33,900	11'5	17'4
Oats ... ..	114,988	1,654,560	14'4	18'0
Rye ... ..	1,611	27,630	17'2	15'6
Rice ... ..	9,891	879,113	88'9	51'5
Hay—		Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Wheaten ... ..	369,969	342,974	0'93	1'12
Barley ... ..	615	666	1'08	1'21
Oaten ... ..	200,872	212,535	1'06	1'29
Rye ... ..	278	402	1'45	1'11
Lucerne ... ..	109,114	197,599	1'81	2'04
Soudan ... ..	...	...	...	...
Green Fodder (Fed-off) ... ..	848,042	Value £995,950	Value £1 13/6	Value £2 3s.
Root Crops—		Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Potatoes ... ..	21,578	47,397	2'20	2'23
Sweet Potatoes ... ..	775	3,864	4'99	4'83
Onions ... ..	155	569	3'67	4'33
Turnips ... ..	693	1,906	2'75	2'53
Mangold-wurzels ... ..	29	231	7'97	9'08
Other ... ..	92	471	5'12	5'11
Miscellaneous crops—				
Broom Millet ... ..	4,047	{ 19,343 cwt. of fibre. 24,210 bush. of seed.	4'8 cwt. 6'0 bush.	... 5'4 bush.
Tobacco ... ..	803	5,967 cwt.	7'4 cwt.	8'2 cwt.
Sugar-cane—				
Crushed ... ..	8,556	208,612 tons.	24'4 tons.	26'5 tons.
Stand-over, etc. ... ..	7,995	...	...	...
Grapes—				
For Wine ... ..	7,456	15,692 tons.	...	...
For table use ... ..	2,576	4,250 tons.	...	...
For drying purposes ... ..	2,965	35,639 cwt.	...	...
Wine made ... ..	...	2,295,030 gals.	†	†
Young Vines ... ..	1,883	...	...	...
Orchards—				
Productive ... ..	59,873	5,415,035 bush.	90'4 bush.	87'6 bush.
Young Trees ... ..	17,126	...	...	...
Bananas ... ..	1,992*	74,703 cases	61 cases.	62 cases.
Pineapples ... ..	91*	8,739 doz.	130 doz.	158 doz.
Market Gardens ... ..	7,729	Value £619,017	Value £80 2s.	Val. £76 15s.
Tomatoes ... ..	1,990	311,849 ½-cases	157 ½-cases.	197 ½-cases.
Pumpkins and Melons ... ..	3,796	13,915 tons	3'67 tons.	3'83 tons.
Nurseries ... ..	671	Value £142,530	Val. £212 8s.	Val. £237 17s.
Other crops ... ..	12,317	...	...	...
Total (including area double cropped) ...	4,998,272	...	...	...

\* Includes young plants.

† The production does not relate to the areas shown.

NOTE.—Land under crops which failed is reckoned in the average.



## No. 55.—Live Stock in New South Wales at 30th June, 1923, 1927, and 1928.

Classification.	1923.	1927.	1928.
<b>Horses—</b>			
1 year and under 4—Colts and geldings ...	65,846	595,110	575,455
Fillies ...	46,236		
4 years and upwards—Stallions ...	4,021		
Mares ...	264,511		
Geldings ...	250,801		
Foals under 1 year ...	28,616	28,282	22,922
Total, Horses ...	660,031	623,392	598,377
<b>Cattle—</b>			
Dairy cows—In milk { Registered dairies ...	404,611	462,365	465,773
{ Other cows ...	79,525	85,674	84,731
Dry ...	313,264	286,592	290,914
Heifers—Springing ...	63,100	51,422	53,022
Other—over 1 year ...	97,787	106,302	108,397
Steers and young bulls—1 year and under 3 ...	501,634	1,396,829	1,424,163
Bulls—3 years and over ...	40,530		
Breeding cows, heifers, bullocks, etc. ...	1,261,622		
Calves—under 1 year ...	489,107	429,405	421,654
Total, Cattle ...	3,251,180	2,818,653	2,848,654
<b>Sheep—</b>			
Rams ...	554,176	737,533	674,660
Ewes ...	20,694,567	27,769,781	26,262,050
Wethers ...	10,444,928	13,327,524	15,199,970
Lambs ...	7,066,329	12,095,162	8,373,320
Total, Sheep ...	38,760,300	55,930,000	50,510,000
<b>Swine—</b>			
One year old and upwards ...	83,488	90,874	80,102
Under 1 year ...	257,365	242,047	221,717
Total, Swine ...	340,853	332,921	301,819
<b>Goats—Angora ...</b>	2,792	1,938	2,250
Other ...	28,648	25,649	18,213
Total, Goats ...	31,440	27,587	20,463
<b>Other live stock—</b>			
Camels ...	819	399	470
Mules ...	110	63	70
Donkeys ...	11	51	101
Ostriches ...	148	12	39

# No. 56.—Estimates as to Sheep and Wool, 1928-29.

At 31st December, 1928, there were approximately 52,700,000 sheep and lambs in the State as compared with 48,920,000 a year previously—an increase of 3,780,000.

Approximately 50,300,000 sheep and lambs were shorn or reserved for autumn shearing in the current season (1928-29), yielding approximately 441,000,000 lb. of greasy wool, giving an average clip (including estimated crutchings) of 8·8 lb.

This total is 36,000,000 lb., or 9 per cent., greater than in the previous season, and has only once been exceeded, viz., by a record total of 456,870,000 lb. of wool shorn in 1926-27.

The totals for the present year compare with those of previous years as follow :—

Year ended 30th June.	Number of sheep and Lambs shorn.	Average weight of wool clip (greasy) Sheep and Lambs.	Weight of Wool produced.		
			Shorn, Crutched and Dead.	Derived from or exported on skins.	Total.
	Thousand.	lb.	Thousand lb.	Thousand lb. Greasy.	Thousand lb.
1923 ... ..	40,274	7·3	295,005	41,894	336,899
1924 ... ..	38,371	7·1	273,687	29,345	303,032
1925 ... ..	41,320	8·2	341,711	27,407	369,118
1926 ... ..	45,550	8·1	369,500	32,990	402,490
1927 ... ..	51,880	8·8	457,552	41,770	499,322
1928 ... ..	53,730	7·5	406,080	37,780	443,860
1929 ... ..	50,300	8·8	446,090	36,830	482,920

The approximate value at Sydney of the wool clip (exclusive of the value of wool derived from or exported on skins) was approximately £31,100,000, as compared with £33,000,000 in 1927-28, £32,650,000 in 1926-27, and £25,980,000 in 1925-26.

The number of sheep in the State has fluctuated as follows in recent years :—

Year.	Number of Sheep and Lambs as at—		Year.	Number of Sheep and Lambs as at—	
	30th June.	31st December.		30th June.	31st December.
1923	38,760,000	*	1926	53,860,000	54,630,000
1924	41,440,000	*	1927	55,930,000	48,920,000
1925	47,100,000	*	1928	50,510,000	52,700,000

\* Not available.

Returns show the following totals for the year 1928 :—

Lambs marked ... ..	12,840,000
Sheep and Lambs slaughtered ... ..	4,820,000
„ exported (net) ... ..	1,130,000

Area, 809,482 square miles (excluding 940 square miles of Federal Territory, 912 at Canberra and 28 at Jervis Bay).  
Population.

<sup>a</sup> Information not available.

## No. 57.—Comparative Summary—New South Wales, 1871–1928—continued.

	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.	1911.	1921.	1928.
<b>Trade.</b>							
Imports, Oversea ...	£ 5,481,655	11,829,007	15,127,641	17,560,207	27,343,428	72,466,388	65,072,266
"    " per head ...	£ 10/15/9	15/9/3	13/4/11	12/16/11	16/8/4	34/13/4	27/2/1
Exports, Oversea ...	£ 5,452,840	9,753,614	14,620,889	18,210,627	32,161,401	52,601,806	51,682,929
"    " per head ...	£ 10/14/7	12/15/0	12/16/0	13/6/5	19/6/3	25/3/3	21/12/2
Interstate Transfers—							
Inwards ...	£ 4,453,412	5,758,005	10,255,756	9,368,011	*	*	*
Outwards ...	£ 5,808,379	6,554,161	11,323,131	9,140,497	*	*	*
<b>Produce of New South Wales Exported Oversea (See note.)</b>							
Wool (greasy, scoured, and wool tops) ...	lb. 38,323,302	81,906,922	235,470,988	217,285,747	297,828,544	180,781,627	340,978,355
"    " ...	£ 2,209,522	4,107,715	7,670,460	7,420,119	11,979,815	12,821,572	30,320,197
Wheat and Flour† ...	Lus. 8,445	21,699	54,947	5,204,892	14,324,845	24,272,102	10,034,715
"    " ...	£ 2,414	5,337	11,683	680,719	2,519,354	11,190,658	2,740,105
Butter† ...	lb. 115,304	402,421	401,690	8,690,719	33,044,024	28,428,758	21,341,023
"    " ...	£ 27,415	11,992	17,756	379,341	1,518,993	3,458,280	1,420,716
Frozen Mutton and Lamb†	lb. ...	*	*	39,369,792	59,948,929	21,472,310	17,670,829
"    " ...	£ ...	*	*	382,385	682,027	680,631	410,745
Other Meats† ...	£ 130,999	191,774	198,194	490,382	981,149	1,347,459	898,673
Tallow ...	£ 245,352	244,271	292,672	362,631	871,018	615,057	457,255
Leather ...	£ 83,809	130,417	130,774	347,327	723,517	524,078	339,394
Skins and Hides ...	£ 38,115	130,277	376,295	431,232	1,145,138	1,911,589	4,550,265
Minerals and Ores (exclusive of Gold) ...	£ 248,966	1,214,685	1,302,076	1,893,314	4,072,531	7,088,155	4,130,371
Timber, undressed ...	£ 3,990	12,930	44,437	76,124	243,811	438,151	177,793
Total value of Produce of New South Wales Exported Oversea. (See note) ...	£ 5,058,974	8,152,776	11,215,234	13,267,550	27,491,326	48,302,717	51,882,029
<b>Public Finance.</b>							
Revenue proper ...	£ 2,215,416	6,551,134	9,773,332	10,612,422	13,882,485	34,031,396	44,198,972
"    " per head ...	£ 4/7/2	8/11/3	8/11/3	7/15/6	8/9/6	16/5/7	18/8/2
Expenditure proper ...	£ 2,666,948	625,749	10,215,820	9,991,983	14,470,687	34,176,892	45,293,968
"    " per head ...	£ 5/4/11	7/7/1	8/18/11	7/6/5	8/16/8	16/0/10	18/17/4
"    " General Loan ...	£ 488,727	2,397,368	4,750,167	2,785,029	3,921,758	14,701,028	14,407,619
"    " per head ...	£ 0/19/3	3/2/8	4/3/2	2/0/10	2/7/11	7/0/8	6/0/0
<b>Public Debt.</b>							
Total ...	£ 10,614,330	16,924,019	52,950,733	67,361,246	95,523,926	164,336,492	245,248,000
Per head ...	£ 20/10/-	21/12/10	45/11/3	49/7/1	57/8/11	78/2/5	101/3/0
<b>Trading Banks.</b>							
Deposits ...	£ 7,043,886	20,308,017	35,659,600	33,258,456	55,327,038	107,676,416	138,512,880
Advances ...	£ 7,668,022	20,935,596	45,068,914	35,068,787	42,456,515	104,709,314	140,690,523
Assets ...	£ 11,592,076	27,870,483	53,506,259	43,437,359	61,906,824	132,433,933	170,941,702
Liabilities ...	£ 8,016,832	22,394,316	37,589,704	35,077,832	57,755,159	111,409,482	144,627,752
<b>Savings Banks.</b>							
Accounts ...	No. 24,379	72,384	158,426	306,311	544,023	1,126,157	1,596,657
Deposits ...	£ 945,915	2,693,701	5,342,135	11,808,710	25,361,338	57,394,441	81,493,379
Average per depositor ...	£ 38/16/0	37/5/8	33/14/5	38/11/0	46/12/4	50/19/4	51/0/10
Average per inhabitant ...	£ 1/16/6	3/9/0	4/11/11	8/11/7	14/1/3	27/5/8	33/12/2
<b>State Railways.</b>							
Line open ...	... miles 358	995	2,182	2,864	3,761	5,043	5,867
Capital cost ...	£ 5,887,258	13,301,597	31,768,617	38,932,781	50,971,894	82,304,194	117,984,374
Passengers ...	No. 759,062	6,907,312	19,037,760	29,261,324	60,919,628	120,735,140	148,040,881
Net earnings ...	£ 158,257	705,892	1,143,050	1,455,578	2,351,144	3,234,528	4,273,185
Net return on capital invested ...	per cent. 2.68	5.30	3.59	3.78	4.67	4.01	3.62
<b>State Tramways.</b>							
Line open ...	... miles ...	93	43	79	190	227	210
Capital cost ...	£ ...	169,450	1,004,212	2,194,493	5,121,586	9,060,257	11,609,070
Passengers ...	No. ...	7,090,125	68,050,527	93,703,685	230,275,938	337,689,873	346,013,775
Net Earnings ...	£ ...	10,442	53,171	89,203	221,682	528,486	619,205
Net return on capital invested ...	per cent. ...	6.16	5.32	4.06	4.53	5.93	5.33
<b>Postal.</b>							
Offices ...	No. 570	1,128	1,728	2,208	2,490	2,609	2,683
Letters and Post Cards ...	No. 7,509,500	26,534,160	68,987,300	82,783,467	189,650,414	262,025,990	*
"    " per head ...	£ 94/7/7	34/68	60/41	60/56	113/87	125/35	*
Newspapers ...	No. 3,902,100	16,527,900	42,517,300	52,317,650	71,619,194	63,261,430	*
"    " per head ...	£ 7/86	21/60	37/23	38/27	43/00	30/26	*
<b>Telegraphs and Telephones.</b>							
Telegraph Stations ...	No. 89	318	674	978	1,406	2,252	3,041
Telegrams and Cablegrams ...	218,530	1,607,206	4,046,251	3,449,315	5,863,560	8,585,835	7,090,157
Telephone Line Connections ...	... ..	...	1,558	9,864	34,551	74,490	137,602
<b>Money Orders.</b>							
Issued in New South Wales ...	£ 293,370	771,978	1,577,744	1,637,488	2,819,183	5,829,758	7,852,117
Paid in New South Wales ...	£ 271,842	675,025	1,518,987	1,669,730	2,949,264	5,897,458	7,665,839
<b>State Education.</b>							
Public Schools at 31st December ...	No. 659	1,406	2,461	2,818	3,125	3,216	3,156
Teachers ...	810	2,199	4,438	5,212	6,517	9,594	12,002
Scholars on roll ...	39,070	144,119	206,438	210,588	221,810	315,228	362,540
Average attendance ...	£ ...	...	122,528	154,404	160,776	248,606	260,194
Expenditure by State ...	£ 132,968	508,604	769,565	761,637	1,242,576	3,558,837	5,007,834

\* Information not available.

† Includes Ship Stores exported overseas.

Note—The exports in 1921 and 1928 include articles produced in other States of Australia. Since 1st January, 1912, the Commonwealth Customs Department has classified all goods produced in the Commonwealth simply as "Australian," without distinguishing, as formerly, the particular State where they were produced.



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